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INTRODUCES BILL FOR DEFENSE DEPARTMENT

**Provides For Army and Navy
Under Single Secretary
For Defense**

BROWN PLAN FOLLOWED

ALTHOUGH he announces that he is not committed to the proposition, Representative John Philip Hill of Maryland has announced that he will shortly introduce a bill creating a Department of Defense. His bill follows the general line of the Brown plan for the reorganization of the Departments of the Government.

In outlining it to the House, Colonel Hill says:

"The plan recommended by President Harding and the Cabinet, as one of its outstanding recommendations, advocated the co-ordination of the Military and Naval Establishments under a single Cabinet officer, as the department of national defense. The organization of this department was suggested as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE (WAR, NAVY)

"Secretary for Defense; Undersecretary for the Army; Assistant Secretary; Executive offices: General Staff; War boards and commissions; Office of the Adjutant General; Office of the Inspector General; Office of the Judge Advocate General; Office of the Quartermaster General; Office of the Chief of Finance; Office of the Surgeon General; Office of the Chief of Ordnance; Office of the Chief of Chemical Warfare Service; Militia Bureau; Office of the Chief of Chaplains; Office of the Chief Signal Officer; Office of the Chief of Air Service; Office of the Chief of Infantry; Office of the Chief of Cavalry; Office of the Chief of Field Artillery; Office of the Chief of Coast Artillery; Office of the Chief of Engineers; Military Academy and Panama Canal.

"Undersecretary for the Navy; Assistant Secretary; Bureau of Construction and Repair; Bureau of Engineering; Bureau of Aeronautics; Academy; Bureau of Yards and Docks; Bureau of Tons; Navy boards; Bureau of Navigation—Naval; Executive offices: Office of Naval Operations; Bureau of Supplies and Accounts; Bureau of Medicine and Surgery; Revenue Cutter Service (Coast Guard, Treasury); Headquarters, Marine Corps; Judge Advocate General and Solicitor.

"Undersecretary for National Resources (new): Assistant Secretary; Executive offices: Men; munitions, food and clothing; transportation; communications; fuel and miscellaneous.

"Joint boards (War and Navy); National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics (Independent).

"In explaining the above recommendations President Harding said:

"(a) These departments are placed under a single Cabinet officer, as the Department of Defense. Three undersecretaries are provided: For the Army, for the Navy, and for national resources.

"(b) The non-military engineering activities of the War Department, including the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, the District and Division Engineer Offices, the Mississippi River and California Debris Commissions, the Board of Road Commissioners for Alaska, and the Office of Public Buildings and Grounds (District of Columbia), are transferred to the Department of the Interior.

"(c) The marine activities of the War Department, including the Lake Survey Office, the Inland and Coastwise Waterways Service, and the Supervisor of New York Harbor, are transferred to the Department of Commerce.

"(d) The Bureau of Insular Affairs is transferred from the War Department to the Department of State.

"(e) The Hydrographic Office and the Naval Observatory are transferred from the Navy Department to the Department of Commerce.

"(f) The Revenue Cutter Service, now a part of the Coast Guard in the Treasury Department, is transferred from that department to the Naval Establishment."

"The Departments of War and Navy are departments which exist for the purpose of carrying out that part of the Constitution which seeks to 'insure domestic tranquility.' When the War Department was originally created it had charge of both the land and naval defenses of the United States.

STATEMENT INDICATES SEPARATE AIR ARM WILL NOT BE APPROVED

AT what was the real close of the investigation of the Select Committee of the House of Representatives, Representative Randolph Perkins, chief examiner for the committee, gave out a statement in which, by inference, the Curry bill for a separate Air Service was disapproved. The committee did not agree upon any formal statement, but Mr. Perkins was authorized to give out one. Subsequent testimony before the committee is said to be merely to clarify certain points.

"While aviation," declares Mr. Perkins, "will never displace land or sea forces, it will undoubtedly profoundly alter and extend warfare." He takes the position that although America leads in the design and development of aircraft, it is totally deficient in commercial aviation.

EMERGENCY IN DEFENSE

In his closing paragraph, he says: "There is an immediate emergency in our National Defense and to meet this we are all agreed that there must be adopted some definite program. The working out of this program is a big and serious undertaking, and it is one in which the unquestioned honesty, sincerity and experience of the War and Navy Departments will be utilized to the fullest degree."

Mr. Perkins indicates that the committee has not been carried away by some of the sensational testimony which has been given by the witnesses. He indicates that there is no belief of a conspiracy in the Services or among industrial concerns.

While this statement was not approved by all of the members of the House Aircraft Committee, there were indications which created the impression that it represented the opinion of the leaders of both the Senate and the House. It was prepared after a number of conferences among leaders in both Houses. In some quarters it is stated that it was submitted to the President. The reference to economy and to the avoidance of competition in aircraft building, it was pointed out, is in harmony with the President's attitude toward the Navy program.

After citing the resolution under which the committee conducted its investigation, Mr. Perkins stated:

"At its first formal meeting, August 4, 1924, the committee adopted and made public a statement of policy in which appeared the following:

"The members of this committee all express themselves as realizing that they are faced with a serious, interesting, patriotic problem of unquestioned importance to the National Defense of our country, and the proper understanding of this subject may aid greatly in its commercial welfare. A constructive and not a destructive investigation is the desire of the committee, and helpful suggestions are welcome from any source."

"The committee has consistently adhered to this course. It has one aim and one aim only—the laying before the Congress of testimony covering, first, the present status of American aviation; and, second, recommendations as to what should, in its opinion, be done to correct, improve or develop American aviation.

MAKE SEVERAL CONCLUSIONS

"The hearings thus far have disclosed certain facts which, in my opinion, make several conclusions inescapable:

"Aviation is about to assume a most important contributing place in the world's transportation and communication systems.

"Out of this commercial aviation will inevitably grow air power, which, while it will never displace land or sea forces, will undoubtedly profoundly alter and extend warfare.

"America, in the design and development of aircraft speeds, performance and utility, leads the world.

"But in the commercial aviation America is wholly deficient and in air power we are greatly inferior.

"I know members of the committee clearly differentiate between personality and principle. We have not been confused, and we hope the public will not be confused, by extreme statements made in the hearings. I find no more substance in the allegations of an industrial and service conspiracy, as made by disappointed inventors, than I find in the picturesque and more startling denunciations by proponents or antagonists of the claim that in the future wars the air arm will be supreme.

"It has been disclosed that for the last five years our aviation has cost us over \$433,000,000, an average of \$86,000,000 a year, of which, all told during this period, only about \$40,000,000 has been spent with the civilian industry for the purchase or repair of equipment; and, all told, during this period, approximately \$10,000,000 has been spent for the development of commercial aviation, and this amount mostly through the air mail.

"Amid the suggestion of violent controversy between the extreme advocates of air power on the one hand and big guns and big ships on the other, there are certain points upon which we all can agree, and these points, I am sure, show the way toward final recommendations which the committee will consider.

ENDORSE ECONOMY PROGRAM

"We all endorse the general public demand for economy. If aviation is developed first commercially we will obtain our needed protection. Military air power will grow out of commercial aviation, but commercial aviation can never grow out of military air power. Therefore, it should be possible, even without radical reorganization of existing agencies, to save from \$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000 each year of the \$86,000,000 annual cost, and to expend this saving on the development of commercial aviation through the Air Mail, Coast Guard, Forest Service, Bureau of Entomology, Geological Survey, Coast and Geodetic Survey, etc., and in laying out of airways, air ports and their necessary communicating and night lighting facilities.

"But concurrent with this, we are all agreed that there must be enacted legislation which will give the proper status to commercial aviation so as to enable it to take advantage of the undoubted tremendous public interest and sympathy in the subject. What form this legislation should take is a matter for the Congress to decide after carefully analyzing the testimony."

Secretary of War Weeks was requested to appear before the Aircraft Investigating Committee on February 28. This was done after very much discussion in the committee, which was used by the air service partisans to create an impression that the Secretary was an unwilling witness.

Secretary Weeks appeared before the committee with documentary evidence to prove that he had not in any way sought to dictate to Army officers, as to what they should say when they appeared before the Investigating Committee. All that he requested was for the witnesses to make it plain that they were giving their personal opinions and not outlining the policy of the War Department.

The committee appeared surprised when former Comdr. Clifford Tinker of the Bureau of Aeronautics appeared before the committee to discuss an article which he had written for Collier's magazine. In course of the article, Comdr. Tinker had

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ASKS FOR PASSAGE OF NAVY WARRANT BILL

**Congressman McSwain Makes
Appeal To Restore W. O.
Pay Status**

CITES LENGTHY SERVICE

IN the closing days of the session, Representative John J. McSwain of South Carolina made an eloquent appeal in behalf of the Curry bill (H.R. 7072), providing for the restoration of the commissioned chief and warrant officers to the pay status which they occupied previous to the passage of the joint service pay act. He insisted that the passage of this bill was necessary to maintain the efficiency of the Navy. Mr. McSwain indicated that he became interested in the bill at the hearing that was given warrant officers before the House Committee on Military Affairs.

PREDICTS PASSAGE

Upon being congratulated upon his able presentation of the cause of the commissioned chief and warrant officers, Mr. McSwain said:

"Oh, this bill will eventually become a law. Congress is sometimes tardy in correcting mistakes in its legislation, but in the end it deals justly with the people affected, and there is so much merit in the Curry bill that I believe that it will come out of the committee early next session in plenty of time to pass both Houses."

In discussing the subject, Mr. McSwain said:

"Mr. Speaker, it is manifest that those of us who have sincerely hoped to obtain action at this session of Congress on H.R. 7072 must be disappointed. That bill seeks to improve the efficiency of the Navy by improving the personnel of a very material element of the Navy. It is intended to remove the handicap and hardship imposed upon the commissioned warrant officers of the Navy by the joint service pay act of June 10, 1922, in which the rights and interests of this class of the service seems to have been overlooked. The result is, under the said act of June 10, 1922, actually to discourage study effort and individual initiative of enlisted men to become warrant officers and thereafter to become commissioned warrant officers, because when a warrant officer is commissioned his longevity pay is based, not upon the length of his service in the Navy, but upon the length of his commissioned service. Therefore, while it usually takes about 17 years continuous, faithful and efficient service and study by an enlisted man to be able to pass the examination conducted by his superiors, and to be commissioned as an ensign, when he does receive his commission, he is treated in the joint service pay act of June 10, 1922, as if he had just graduated at the Naval Academy at Annapolis at about the age of 22 years; when, in fact, he is about 35 years old and has been working hard with low pay and under severe discipline for 17 years.

MUST OFFER INDUCEMENTS

"The Navy must have not only an intelligent and ambitious enlisted personnel, but it must have as an essential and indispensable factor in its efficiency, an ambitious and intelligent warrant officer personnel. In order that we may have an efficient Navy the human element in it must be induced to stay in the Navy as a life business, just as graduates of Annapolis regard it. There must be some inducement held out to enlisted men to re-enlist at the expiration of their terms. These inducements must be both financial and official."

GENERAL LEJEUNE IS HONORED AT DINNER

Marine Corps Commandant Lauded By Services On Reappointment

GEN. ELLIOTT IS PRESENT

THE reappointment of Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune as Commandant of the Marine Corps was celebrated at a dinner held at the New Willard on February 28. Among the honor guests were Maj. Gen. Commandant Geo. F. Elliott, U.S.M.C., ret., who spoke of "days gone by," recounting the many stirring scenes in the history of the corps.

Maj. Gen. Hanson Ely, U.S.A., President of the War College, spoke for the Army, described the high regard that the sister Service had for Gen. Lejeune. Rear Adm. C. F. Hughes and Comdr. Joel T. Boone, U.S.N., represented the Navy. Col. H. B. Myers, U.S.A., spoke for the Second Division. Reverend Jason Noble Price, D.D., invoked the Divine blessing. S. L. Rothapfel furnished the entertainment with Roxie's gang.

Among the guests were:

MANY MAJORS ATTEND

Gen. S. D. Butler, Eli K. Cole, L. Feland, C. L. McCawley, Dion Williams, Geo. Richards, Col. R. C. Berkeley, Macker Babb, J. C. Breckinridge, R. M. Cutts, H. C. Davis, R. H. Dunlap, L. M. Guilek, N. H. Hall, C. S. Hill, C. St. C. Murphy, J. E. Mahoney, W. G. Powell, D. D. Porter, C. S. Radford, G. C. Reid, J. S. Turdill, Alt. Col. E. R. Beadle, E. T. Fryer, E. A. Greene, W. C. Harlike, L. C. Lucas, H. L. Matthews, R. B. Sullivan, T. C. Turner.

Maj. T. D. Barber, W. F. Bevan, C. D. Barrett, J. C. Fegan, F. B. Garrett, J. H. Horton, S. B. Kennedy, S. E. Lee, R. E. Messersmith, E. N. McClellan, C. E. Nutting, G. H. Osterhout, Jr., H. B. Pratt, B. Puryear, C. F. B. Price, H. L. Parsons, S. L. Rothapfel, E. N. Reno, C. R. Sanderson, C. G. Sinclair, J. C. Smith, R. Tittoni, P. H. Torrey, R. W. Voeth.

Capt. C. T. Brooks, W. F. Beattie, L. W. Burnham, S. F. Bithright, J. H. Craige, L. L. Dye, P. Del Valle, W. T. H. Galliford, E. G. Huefe, P. Harris, C. A. Ketcham, R. J. Mitchell, P. Marmion, H. K. Picett, J. E. Reich, W. H. Santelmann, O. P. Smith, W. H. Sitz, R. C. Swink, N. M. Shaw, R. C. Thaxton, C. Ubel, M. A. Willard.

Lt. H. E. Darr, W. G. Farrell, W. C. Hall, W. P. Kelly, J. H. Layne, C. W. Legette, H. W. Miller, H. M. Peter, C. M. Ruffner, W. B. Stroup.

Pay and Q. M. Clks. G. H. Molligan, E. C. Smith, H. H. Thompson, C. Wald.

DEFICIENCY BILL HAS GUARD AND NAVY ITEMS

NOT only does the second deficiency bill carry \$1,332,000 for National Guard armory drill, but \$30,067,415.69 for Navy construction. The committee on appropriations in reporting out the deficiency followed the Budget estimate exactly. The committee also reported out \$250,000 for the encouragement of commercial aviation under the Postoffice Department.

In reporting the appropriations that are for the National Guard the committee states that "there will be only three or four States in which the number of drills would not have to be eliminated if the appropriation is not made." An agreement to this item is assured by the Senate. On the subject the committee's report set forth:

"The committee recommends that not to exceed \$1,332,000 of the balances of the appropriations for the National Guard for the fiscal year 1925 be made available for the unusual growth of the National Guard and the increasing attendance at armory drills have so consumed current funds for pay that unless this amount is made available it will be necessary to eliminate a number of drills in the latter part of the fiscal year in practically every State. The number of drills necessary to be eliminated if the sum recommended is not approved varies in the different States from a minimum of 4 in the lowest to 20 in the highest. There are only three or four States in which a number of drills would not have to be eliminated if this appropriation is not made."

The items for the Navy as set forth in the committee's report are as follows:

"Navy Department, to carry into effect

the act increasing the limit of cost of airplane carriers and the act authorizing construction of additional gunboats and cruisers and the modernization of certain ships: Toward modernization of the New York, Utah, Florida, Texas, Arkansas and Wyoming (total limit of cost \$18,360,000), \$9,000,000; for continuing construction of the aircraft carriers Lexington and Saratoga, \$14,000,000; for aircraft and aircraft accessories for the Lexington and Saratoga, \$3,000,000; toward construction of 6 gunboats and 2 of the 8 cruisers authorized, \$4,000,000; total \$30,000,000."

The total for the deficiency bill, which includes a wide range of items, is \$54,903,236.69, or \$851,139.45 less than the estimate. None of the decreases came from the War and Navy Departments' estimates. Among the items the bill carried is \$93,599.19 for the settlement of claims of Camp Funston, Kan., under the Act of February 23, 1923, authorizing the Secretary of War to make settlements with the lessees who erected buildings on a five-year lease.

There is a section in the bill which provides that:

"The sum of \$1,367,792.47 of the unexpended balance of the appropriation of \$4,140,105.72 and the sum of \$25,700 of the unexpended balance of the appropriation of \$759,000 for the fiscal year 1923 for sites for military purposes, provided in the Acts approved July 1, 1922, and January 22, 1923, respectively, shall remain until available until June, 1926, for the purpose authorized by said Acts."

There is an appropriation of \$15,000 for connection of sewerage system at the Columbus General Reserve Depot, and \$17,000 for repairs and improvements to the heating plant at Walter Reed Hospital.

WILL RAISE MEMORIAL TO U. S. AT ST. NAZAIRE

CAPT. ARTHUR M. DUBOIS, 45 John street, New York city, treasurer of the St. Nazaire Memorial Fund, Inc., announced on February 10, that plans to raise \$100,000 for a memorial at St. Nazaire, France, to commemorate the landing of the first American troops there on June 26, 1917, have been completed. A nation-wide drive for funds will be conducted by an executive committee, beginning February 16.

The executive work of raising the money will be handled by the following men: Roydon Cholmeley-Jones, 95 Maiden Lane, chairman; Miss Minette Causse, William T. Conner, George B. Cortelyou, jr. of Chicago; Col. John F. Daniell, Johnson De Forest, Capt. Arthur M. Du Bois, Major Gen. W. H. Hart of Washington; Col. Alva N. Johnson, jr., and George E. Kemp of Philadelphia; Col. K. G. Martin, Charles C. Perrin of Paris; Rev. Sartell Prentice, General S. D. Rockenback, Kingsland T. Rood, Col. John H. Schouten of Detroit; Col. John Stephen Sewell of Birmingham, Ala.; Livingston L. Short, Mrs. Anna Mackenzie Smith, Dr. Henry Thacher, Dr. Samuel Trexler and General R. D. Walsh.

An honorary committee has been appointed, consisting of Major Gen. James G. Harbord, chairman; Newton D. Baker, Col. Franklin G. Brown, Paul D. Cravath, John W. Davis, Brig. Gen. Charles G. Dawes, Robert Underwood Johnson, Otto H. Kahn, Frank D. Pavey, Elihu Root, Herbert L. Satterlee, the Right Rev. Herbert Shipman and George W. Wickersham.

M.T.C.A. ANNOUNCES BIG 1925 CAMP CAMPAIGN

WITH War Department plans drawn for the greatest citizen camps ever attempted in this country during peace time, the Military Training Camps Association recently announced a nation-wide educational campaign to bring the benefits of the 1925 summer camps to the attention of eligible young men and their parents in every State in the Union.

Secretary Weeks accepted the offer of the M. T. C. A. to co-operate with the War Department in promoting the popularity of the movement. Charles B. Pike, president, who made the plan public, said the association already has representatives in more than 90 per cent. of the 3000 counties of the United States.

Enrollment of 50,000 youths by June 1 has been set as the goal to be reached. Under the arrangements announced, civilian aides to the Secretary of War, appointed from each State and from each of the nine Army Corps Areas, will direct the progress of the drive within their own territories, working in conjunction with Army officials.

GIVE LIST OF 58 NEW ASSISTANT SURGEONS

Names of Senior Students Accepted For Service Are Announced

TO SERVE INTERNSHIPS

THE following senior medical students of Class "A" Medical Schools have recently been examined and found physically and professionally qualified for appointment in the grade of Assistant Surgeon, rank of lieutenant (j.g.) in the Medical Corps of the United States Navy. These young men will be commissioned upon graduation in June and assigned to the Naval Hospital at Boston, Mass.; New York, N. Y.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Washington, D. C.; Norfolk, Va.; San Diego, Calif., and Mare Island, Calif., for their internship:

Melvin D. Abbot, Detroit College of Medicine and Surgery, Detroit, Mich.; John Q. Adams, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.; Newman K. Bear, Northwestern Univ. Medical School, Chicago, Ill.; Harold M. F. Behnemann, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Adolphus A. Berger, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Glen C. Bradford, College of Medical Evangelists, Los Angeles, Calif.; John P. Brady, Univ. of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Walter V. Campbell, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; David L. Bears, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Joseph V. Dankays, Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill.; James C. Drybread, Indiana Univ. School of Medicine, Indianapolis, Ind.; James R. Fulton, Harvard Univ. Medical School, Boston, Mass.

Clamor H. Gavin, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; John N. C. Gordon, Univ. of Cincinnati Medical School, Cincinnati, Ohio; John E. Griffiths, Univ. of Pennsylvania Medical School, Philadelphia, Pa.; Robert F. Hagne, Univ. of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Sobiesca S. Hall, Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill.; Fred D. Heegler, Univ. of California Medical School, San Francisco, Calif.; Frederick A. Hemmuth, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Mass.; Louis A. Hithemann, St. Louis Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Ralph H. Hodler, Univ. of Maryland Medical School, Baltimore, Md.; Bartholomew W. Hogan, Tufts College Medical School, Boston, Mass.; Gunnar Jelestrom, Northwestern Univ. Medical School, Chicago, Ill.; Edward E. Jones, Univ. of Pennsylvania Medical School, Philadelphia, Pa.

John D. Kere, Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore, Md.; Hirschell D. Kindell, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Bruce V. Leamer, Iowa State College of Medicine, Iowa City, Iowa; Raymond C. Lindholm, College of Medical Evangelists, Los Angeles, Calif.; Baxter A. Liversood, Univ. of Pennsylvania Medical School, Philadelphia, Pa.; David W. Lyon, Western Reserve Univ. Medical School, Cleveland, Ohio; Charles G. McCormack, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Ebon B. McGregor, College of Medical Evangelists, Los Angeles, Calif.; Ocie B. Morrison, Jr., Univ. of Virginia Medical School, Charlottesville, Va.; Walter S. Mountain, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.; Harold W. Naeckel, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Carroll O'Rourke, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.

Henry W. Patton, Univ. of Virginia Medical School, Charlottesville, Va.; Stanford Phillips, St. Louis Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; John B. Phillips, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Willard B. Pierce, Univ. of Minnesota Medical School, Minneapolis, Minn.; Ralph R. Ploughe, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Bernard S. Pupek, Univ. and Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, N. Y.; Samuel J. Roberts, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Benjamin R. Ross, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Marion T. Rosser, Univ. of Virginia Medical School, Charlottesville, Va.; Herman D. Searnechia, Univ. of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Rufus A. Schneiders, Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill.; William J. Scruggs, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.

Clifford A. Swanson, Univ. of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Harry V. Thomas, Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore, Md.; Gershon J. Thompson, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Frank M. Townsend, Jr., Univ. of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Hugo O. G. Wagner, Washington Univ. Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.; Elmer G. Wakefield, Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore, Md.; Anthony E. Zalewski, Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill.; David O. Zearbaugh, Indiana Univ. Medical School, Indianapolis, Ind.; Harry L. Goff, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.; Ray W. Oldenburg, Univ. of Colorado Medical School, Denver, Colo.

ORDER DENTAL SURVEY FOR FOREIGN SERVICE

UNDER War Department Circular No. 6, dated February 4, 1925, instructions have been issued by the War Department directing that all persons in the military service who are under orders to pro-

ceed to a foreign station to report at once to a dental officer for a dental survey and such dental treatment as that officer may prescribe. This because of the shortage of dentists, both military and civil, in our foreign possessions.

The Circular points out that necessary dental treatment should be completed, if possible, before departure for the foreign station, and that officers and others ordered to a foreign garrison and who are accompanied by dependents, should also have their dental defects corrected prior to departure.

"Attention is invited to the fact that paragraph 1476½, Army Regulations, 1913, requires that when an enlisted man is ordered to duty with a permanent recruiting party, a unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, or on other permanent detached service, he should be given a complete dental survey by a dental officer, and any dental disability found should be corrected before his departure. It is desired that officers and others in the military service serving at stations where dental officers are available shall, when ordered to permanent detached service, have dental surveys made and defects corrected as in the case of enlisted men. Officers, enlisted men and others in the military service who may be performing detached service should, while attending summer training camps and at such other times as they may be where the services of a dental officer are available, report to such officers for necessary dental treatment.

"Dental officers examining and treating persons under the provisions of this paragraph will furnish each such person with a certificate) stating the defects found and those corrected, and in case the work was not completed the reasons therefor. Dental officers will forward a duplicate of this certificate to the corps area or department commander for the information of the corps area or department surgeon in connection with any subsequent applications for civilian dental attendance and approval of accounts therefor.

"Dental officers will give preference to the care and treatment of persons in the military service applying therefor under the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 above.

"Members of the Dental Corps will serve free of charge all those entitled to free medical treatment by medical officers.

"Members of the Dental Corps will operate upon those entitled to their services. Materials issued by the Government will be expended only in operations upon those entitled to free service. Emergency work for officers and enlisted men will have precedence at all times over other work.

NAVY-MARINE MEMORIAL FUND TOTALS \$46,000

CONTRIBUTIONS totalling \$46,000, have been subscribed to date for the erection of a national memorial to sailors and marines lost at sea. It will be erected at Washington, D. C., according to announcements at a dinner given at the Army and Navy Club of America recently, by the Navy and Marine Memorial Association, which is sponsoring the project.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, former Assistant Secretary of the Navy presided at the dinner. The \$46,000 subscribed, it was stated included: \$25,000 from a donor whose name was withheld. Other subscriptions are from William K. Vanderbilt, \$5000; Vincent Astor, \$5000; Col. Robert M. Thompson, \$5000; William H. Vanderbilt, \$2000; Mrs. E. H. Harriman, \$1000; Washington Evening Star, Frank B. Noyes, President, \$1000; Mrs. Marshall Russell, \$1000 and Eldridge R. Johnson, \$1000.

Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, U.S.N., in some remarks said:

"To give due recognition to the seaman, this association asks this nation, not only in justice to the past, but for their own safety in the future. The world has entered on a new phase since the armistice in which the affairs of the continent of Europe have been replaced in interest and importance by the affairs of the great maritime nations.

"No longer can a little problem like the Schleswig-Holstein question monopolize the attention of all peoples; for they see the rapid jump of the United States and Japan into the struggle for sea commerce and realize how many millions of people and how many billions of dollars will soon be involved."

The other speakers were T. V. O'Connor, Chairman of the United States Shipping Board; Lt. Col. Lemuel Bolles, former National Adjutant of the American Legion, and Capt. M. C. Gleeson, Chaplain, U.S.N. Among the guests were Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Rear Admiral L. M. Josephthal, Major J. G. Phelps Stokes, P. A. S. Franklin, Mrs. Henry P. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Bacon, Begni del Piatta, the sculptor who designed the memorial, and Harvey Wiley Corbett, the architect.

A.A. ARTILLERY USE GIVEN IN TESTIMONY

Statement On Effectiveness Was Made to Aircraft Committee

TELLS OF WAR RECORDS

REFERRING to the statement that anti-aircraft guns are not an effective means of defense against airplane attacks, and that the results obtained by anti-aircraft guns during the late war were negligible, Capt. Aaron Bradshaw, jr., C.A.C., submitted what authorities claim to be one of the clearest expositions of the usefulness of anti-aircraft artillery when he appeared before the Select Committee for the Investigation of Aircraft recently. Captain Bradshaw, who appeared for General Coe, due to the latter's illness, presented his facts as follows:

Notwithstanding the deficiencies as to material and personnel of the anti-aircraft services of the various nations engaged in the late war, the results obtained by these anti-aircraft services are not negligible. The figures below show the number of planes brought down by the anti-aircraft services of several nations, as compared with those brought down by the aviation services of the same nations:

Italy: Planes brought down by aviation service on all fronts, 540; planes brought down by anti-aircraft, 129. Germany: Aviators got 6554; anti-aircraft, 1520. France: Aviators accounted for 2000, and anti-aircraft, 500.

(Authority Official Italian Report, Ministero della Guerra, Comando); (Superior d'aeronautica, G-2, No. A-5256W).

"In considering the above figures it should be borne in mind that the anti-aircraft service is a defensive one and the number of its targets are limited. And we must also bear in mind that to honestly appraise the work of anti-aircraft arms, that it is not only by the number of aircraft brought down that their efficiency can be determined.

"The fact of compelling an airplane to fly very high, to change its route, to increase the distance traversed, to carry on a bombardment from a high altitude in the continual danger of being reached by the anti-aircraft fire, hampering its work of reconnaissance and still more of its bombardment, are the positive results obtained and are far from negligible.

"If this threat of a ground offensive should be lacking, it is a logical assumption to admit that the aviation arm would accomplish the greater part of its missions at those altitudes at which the efficiency is greatest and would accomplish them with so much greater effectiveness, the greater the immunity of which it would avail itself.

"The best proof that the action of anti-aircraft arms is not negligible is given by the fact that the aviation services of all nations are continuing with diligence their studies, their researches, as to the possibility of flying at greater altitudes, the possibility of extending continually its limits of photographic observation, as to muffling the sound of the engines, as to protecting the aircraft with armor, concealing aircraft with clouds, etc.

"These are improvements which, even if they are not entirely the results of the danger of fire from the ground, still serve to diminish the consequence of it. In the year 1918 a total number of 483 German planes were dispatched to raid Paris, only 37 penetrated the anti-aircraft defenses of Paris, and of these 37, 13 were brought down by anti-aircraft fire.

A.A. GUNS ROUTED PLANES

"During the raid of September 15, fifty planes attempted to reach Paris. Of the fifty, 47 planes were turned back by the Anti-aircraft Artillery, and of the three planes that penetrated the inner line of defense, two were brought down by Anti-aircraft Artillery fire. This raid was preceded by five raids where no German planes penetrated the anti-aircraft defense and it marked the end of air raids on Paris. The anti-aircraft defense of Paris consisted almost exclusively of guns, searchlights and anti-aircraft listening devices.

"During the war the French Anti-aircraft Artillery brought down: In 1916, 60; 1917, 120, and 1918, 220.

"To obtain these results, 11,000 shots were fired in 1916 for each airplane brought down. Seventy-five hundred shots were fired in 1918 for each airplane brought down, according to the statistics covering all materiel employed. But if we consid-

ered the work of only the anti-aircraft artillery guns firing, these figures are reduced to 3200 per plane. This efficiency is comparable to that of the French Field Artillery. What would be the efficiency today? The British report that the following, as the average of shots, were required by the anti-aircraft artillery to bring down a plane: Prior to 1917, no record; 1917, 8000 rounds; 1918, 4550 rounds, and last part 1918, 1500 rounds.

"The anti-aircraft defense of London was quite different from the defense of Paris, mainly in that six squadrons of 18 airplanes were used in conjunction with the anti-aircraft searchlights and guns. In the last raid on London 34 planes took part. Of the 34, three were brought down by anti-aircraft artillery, three were brought down by the Air Service, working with searchlights, one was forced to land on account of engine trouble, and three more were shot down by anti-aircraft artillery on their way home across France.

"The American Anti-aircraft Service, although in action only four months, and having only two skeleton artillery battalions and two machine gun battalions to get into action, are officially credited with bringing down 58 enemy planes. The official reports of the American Expeditionary Forces give 605 as the average number of shots required to bring down each plane. (Authority—Report of Chief of Artillery, A. E. F.)

"The results of the last war are conclusive. The results to be expected in the future are indicated in that recently during target practice Battery D, 64th Coast Artillery, firing 30 shots at a day practice, at a towed target at 8400 feet altitude, obtained six hits, and at a night practice at a towed target at 4800 feet altitude, fired 20 shots and obtained nine hits. Battery G of this same regiment obtained 10 hits firing 21 shots at night at a towed target at an altitude of 7350 feet. Battery B, 65th Coast Artillery, on December 11, 1924, fired 41 shots and obtained 15 hits.

SEARCHLIGHT BEAMS

"Reference to the assertion that searchlights cannot hold a plane in their beam, the following might be offered: "During the St. Mihiel operations the 26 lights of Companies A and B, 56th Engineers, illuminated 54 hostile aircraft for an average period of 2.5 minutes each. From these illuminations and from data secured from the operation of sound-locating devices, it was possible to plot the course of enemy planes. A composite chart, made from observations during the St. Mihiel drive, proved the efficiency of searchlights as defenses, for it was found that hostile planes either avoided the defended area or, when illuminated, became confused and turned back.

Searchlights along the Army fronts for anti-aircraft service have been a demonstrated success. It has been evident that they have a great moral effect on the enemy aviators, not only because of the probable fire that will follow, but also because of the effect of the light itself. (Extract Official Report of Chief A.A. Service, A.E.F.)

"The action on enemy planes was most successful, as no enemy planes succeeded in penetrating the area covered by the lights."

In the St. Mihiel sector on several different occasions, Captain Bradshaw said he saw enemy planes turned back by searchlights alone. On one occasion at Vigneulles, an enemy pursuit plane caught in a searchlight beam and the pilot failing in many efforts to get out of it, finally flew down the beam and failing to put out the light, crashed, he declared.

Experiments have been conducted at Fort Monroe in regard to illuminating airplanes with searchlights. No difficulty is experienced in keeping targets within searchlight beams. The Coast Artillery Board has continued this work and they have also experienced no difficulty in keeping the planes within searchlight beams. Captain Bradshaw told how he was charged with making some of the arrangements for night flying for the 61st Coast Artillery.

In talking with the Air Service representatives at Langley Field he was always impressed by them with the danger of their flying in searchlight beams and it was with difficulty that successful arrangements were made, he asserted. The impression he obtained from those aviators, most of whom had flown in France, was to the effect that searchlights were difficult to avoid, that they tended to confuse the aviator, causing him to lose his sense of direction and making it impossible for him to see landmarks. Captain Bradshaw continued. He also said that the bombing of a specific object was impossible while in a searchlight beam. He concluded by saying if there is doubt as to whether searchlights can keep airplanes within their range, illuminated, it might be suggested that this point could be decisively settled by a test at Fort Monroe, which could be carried out at no expense to the Government. The results of such a test could be known within a few hours.

GIVE QUARTERMASTER NON-COM ELIGIBILITY

Names Of Sergeants In All Grades of 4 Services Are Listed

RESULT OF RECENT EXAM

THE following eligible list of non-commissioned officers, first three grade, arranged according to their standing on this list, was announced this week by the Quartermaster General's Office. This is the result of the recent examination:

MASTER SERGEANT—SUPPLY

Staff Sgt. L. Cohen; Tech. Sgts. E. Forster, H. J. Pittfield, W. Ferrol, J. F. Herbat, C. J. Falkenthal, C. Utery, J. P. Germaux, B. Rosaler, T. C. Devlin, J. E. Kramer, W. J. Thompson, G. Johns, E. Berkel, G. Murphy, L. G. Harrison, F. I. Ahern, J. P. Engelhard, E. F. Hahn, E. H. Lilley, J. B. Greer, J. Drew, A. G. Walden, O. H. Lovelace, R. P. Rowell, F. Krause, F. A. Dunn, W. J. Henderson, G. Stewart, M. Potter, A. S. Lukacs, V. C. Price, J. Conway, T. Kirby, F. B. Lloyd, F. O. Hanson, H. C. Marshall, C. J. Gaiser, J. J. Farley, A. C. Howard, F. H. Scheeler, A. J. Hofman, W. E. J. Quinn; Staff Sgt. G. B. Pickett; Tech. Sgts. C. M. Combs, M. Tharass, C. F. Glidewell, J. Soto, E. A. Supplee, C. M. Miller, F. Staples, C. Kleiner, A. Soper, H. Evers; Staff Sgt. P. Butin; Tech. Sgts. J. Stapleton; Staff Sgt. Elbridge B. Bundy; Tech. Sgt. A. Hemphill, J. Woodson, H. J. Holmes, C. W. Hammond, C. R. Evans, F. Prager, F. E. Kavanagh, F. W. McIlroy, G. S. Rogers, J. S. Walker, E. M. Smith, W. J. Duffy, G. Goetter, Sgt. H. O. Walker; Tech. Sgts. I. J. Richardson, Staff Sgt. T. E. Ayers; Tech. Sgt. L. Wright, F. Keller, F. Haller, A. L. Wray, A. P. Duff, E. L. Slater, L. Bartelloni, E. E. E. Swanton, A. G. Lawson; Staff Sgt. F. H. Hildebrandt; Tech. Sgt. J. H. Mattoon, H. E. Slenitz, J. B. Rooney, J. S. Greene, B. J. Slade; Staff Sgt. O. Hofer; F. Murray, A. M. Dravo, R. B. Cheney; Staff Sgt. D. Kondos; Tech. Sgts. C. O. May, J. A. Campbell, T. Shea, S. E. Brown, C. F. Clark, R. F. Griffith, A. J. Letty; Staff Sgt. H. J. Alward; Tech. Sgts. F. E. Voyer, G. Foy; Staff Sgt. J. F. Cottingham; Tech. Sgts. T. E. Swain, A. Kelly; J. G. Ferrin, J. Thompson, H. Ain; Staff Sgts. J. E. Board, P. T. Dezotell; Tech. Sgts. L. E. Alteen, J. C. Lewis, W. S. Morley, F. Brand; Pvt. First Class J. P. Hunter; Tech. Sgts. A. J. Ledou, B. Rogan; Private G. W. Odell; Tech. Sgts. G. Johnson, R. L. Thomas, H. M. Bare, First Sgt. A. D. Rains; Tech. Sgt. E. McConnell, T. F. Gatliffe, J. H. Rowan.

TECHNICAL SERGEANT—SUPPLY

Staff Sgts. E. V. Alexander, R. C. Anderson, S. R. Malone, P. Quinn, C. U. Stuart, D. O'Hern, E. S. Cronley; Private G. C. Hall; Sergeant E. Taylor, D. L. Lane; Staff Sgts. C. I. Hope, J. Kolar; Sergeant E. Thompson; Staff Sgts. F. Blazey, L. K. Gushard; Sergeant A. W. Ginsberg; Staff Sgt. E. Nelson; Sergeant L. M. Lynch; Staff Sgt. E. Stanley; Sergeants L. J. Guy, H. West; Pvt. First Class J. Rowe; Staff Sgts. C. C. Troyke, E. M. Pillsbury; Sergeant T. C. Meagher; Private W. R. Garrett; Staff Sgts. James F. Burt, A. K. Ramsburg; Sergeant A. Abela; Staff Sgt. W. R. Stevenson; Sergeant G. Bolwell; Staff Sgts. A. E. Harrison, LeR. Heffernan, Cornelius Lynch; Sergeant E. M. Singleton; Staff Sgt. A. C. Haase; Sergeant P. G. McKinney; Private F. Thesenvitz; Private First Class C. M. Archer; Staff Sgts. L. Wilkie, C. Landau; Private First Class R. R. Moore; Sergeants C. V. Smith, H. Mundt; Staff Sgts. P. Moore, R. E. Lanham; Private R. Y. Nixon; Sergeant A. S. Murphy; Private First Class W. P. Young; Staff Sgt. Arthur Esamarch; Sergeant F. Fischer; Staff Sgts. F. H. Krome, J. B. Backer, L. W. Sonnenbaugh, R. Dupree; Sergeant W. J. Hall; Staff Sgts. J. Levin, M. D. Rankin, A. B. Van Horn, F. M. Cronyn; Pvs. First Class O. W. Hyde, E. G. Howard; Staff Sgts. G. C. Vogel, J. B. Parker; Pvt. First Class G. F. Mayer; Staff Sgts. L. J. Kloe, H. E. Kidwell, C. E. Grace, C. D. Ames; Pvt. First Class F. Gardner; Staff Sgts. M. Bzdek, C. S. Dunlap, J. E. McConnell, C. P. Phipps; Pvt. First Class W. H. Bowden; Staff Sgt. F. R. Kretschmer; Private C. C. Tucker; Sergeant J. R. Penn; Corporal S. H. Hayes; Sergeant W. M. Wolter; Pvt. First Class E. W. Becker; First Sgt. W. B. Wilmet; Staff Sgt. R. S. Martin; Sergeant E. Parker; Staff Sgt. C. F. Gardner.

STAFF SERGEANT—SUPPLY

Pvs. First Class J. W. Rock, R. G. Walker; Sgts. J. M. Covington, A. M. O'Dell; Pvs. First Class S. C. Houk, Jr., J. F. Murphy, E. J. Briggs, Privates H. Schramm, Jr.; Pvt. First Class E. Appell; Sergeants G. W. Cowles, H. J. McKeown; Pvt. First Class A. Steffens; Sergeant C. R. Vair; Pvs. First Class Manosh N. Swetman, B. Czajkowski; Private D. Baker; Sergeant M. R. Schorn; Pvt. First Class H. C. Treuner; Sergeant J. Heimbarger; Corporal J. H. Hampton; Pvs. First Class R. H. Crank, N. Isaef, L. Tyo; Corporal W. T. Tirrill; Pvt. First Class H. Patchkoff; Sergeants E. C. Norden, H. A. Magrane; Privates R. H. Thomas, W. K. Simmons; Corporal P. J. Gee; Pvs. First Class J. Atkinson, C. Hildefons; Corporal T. Slight, Jr.; Sergeant M. Morrissey; Corporal W. Flinks; Private A. Stepp; Sergeants W. S. Vice, J. B. Rodriguez, G. P. Brown; Pvt. First Class O. K. Curtis; Private W. C. Watson; Pvt. First Class A. M. Lindeman; Sergeants C. F. Mangang, W. M. Busker; Pvs. First Class B. E. Hey, A. Ware; Private R. C. O'Brian; Sergeants F. English, J. B. Judge; Pvt. First Class A. E. Stevens; Sergeants W. C. Hancock, C. J. Capen; Pvs. First

Class E. R. Crush, H. R. Fox; Sergeant T. C. Carr; Private A. P. L. Hansen; Corporal K. W. Ogilvie; Pvt. First Class F. Moeller; Corporal L. W. Dezarn; Pvt. First Class E. Koek; Sergeant R. E. Fay; Pvs. First Class W. Lavender, J. D. Doyle; Sergeant H. H. Kulp; Privates J. R. McCaffrey, H. W. Wurtzler; Sergeant D. G. Erickson; Pvs. First Class L. E. Adair, P. Stroch; Sergeant O. C. Wadsworth; Pvs. First Class E. Clark; J. T. Ford; Corporal G. W. Mitchell; Pvt. First Class W. B. Gorman; Sergeants J. S. Brooks, W. Logan; Pvs. First Class C. S. Tolliver, G. B. Johnson; Pvs. E. E. Neumann, R. F. Honeyman; Corporal R. I. Owen; Pvt. First Class W. J. Wilson; Sergeants, F. C. Hilton, F. L. Quick; Private J. L. Bonnell; Pvt. First Class H. P. Weidling; Sergeants J. S. Street, T. A. Barrett; Pvt. First Class A. M. Lang; Sergeants C. W. Shultz, H. Fortwengler; Pvs. First Class M. B. Silver, A. T. Holliday; Pvt. First Class C. Haynes; L. Lancaster; Sergeant P. J. Rogan; Corporal E. Williamson; Pvs. First Class A. K. Taber, W. J. Harrington; Corporal J. W. Pheasant; Pvt. First Class B. L. Watson; Sergeants E. Reed, T. J. Hession; Corporal N. J. Hillhouse; Sergeant E. Nutting; Pvt. First Class H. T. May; Corporal C. S. Svendsen; Private W. Jaynes; Sergeant M. French; Pvt. First Class C. G. Haney; Sergeant M. C. Nance; Corporal E. C. Koehle; Pvt. First Class F. H. Miller; Corporal E. McGregor; Sergeants B. D. Booth, L. K. Kent; Pvs. First Class L. E. Lyons, V. G. Sackett; Private T. C. Carter; Sergeant M. Rilling; Pvt. First Class A. Mandle; Sergeant A. Christensen; Private J. H. Damsereau; Sergeants E. L. Whitton, M. L. Brenton, T. E. Hickman; Private J. J. Cox.

MASTER SERGEANT—MOTORS

Staff Sgt. R. E. Townsley; Tech. Sgts. G. H. Stewart, A. Roth; Staff Sgt. L. Parrett; Tech. Sgt. C. B. Nelson; Sergeant G. P. Myers.

TECHNICAL SERGEANT—MOTORS

Pvs. First Class J. N. Shanks, B. W. Donnelly; Sergeants P. Gillich, C. C. Reger; Corporal A. H. Littlefield; Staff Sgt. C. W. Nielson; Sergeant J. C. Rose; Pvt. First Class P. B. McCarthy; Sergeants A. Julius, J. Hahn; Pvt. First Class J. C. Williams; Sergeants F. F. Newman, E. J. Reinking; Private J. B. Farr; Sergeants B. Kinsey, A. L. Alexander; Pvt. First Class J. V. Sheppard; Sergeant C. E. Van Wormer; Staff Sgt. J. A. Sisson; Sergeants J. H. Cox, S. L. Nelson; Staff Sgt. J. W. Adams; Sergeant L. Annen; Pvs. First Class R. A. Jorgenson, A. Kathrien; Staff Sergeant W. J. Villepigue; Sergeants O. R. Walker, F. R. Osterkamp; Pvt. First Class F. Oaks; Sergeants F. Schultz, O. Knutsen.

MASTER SERGEANT

Tech. Sgts. P. Yeatman, H. Fox, S. S. Sprague, J. J. Daerda, A. W. Vogelsang, W. Goldfuss; Staff Sgt. C. Holdren, Tech. Sgt. H. Lots.

TECHNICAL SERGEANT

Staff Sgts. A. Pfeifer, O. Spahr, G. M. Newsome, W. Math, J. F. Maize, H. Warrenner, F. Dombacher, A. H. Thomas, S. L. Brighton, F. J. Brush, J. T. Glant; Sergeant G. Rathbun.

STAFF SERGEANT—COOK

Pvs. First Class C. Warner, F. O. Young; Sergeant C. Peccia.

STAFF SERGEANT—BAKERY

Sergeants T. Culhane, B. John; Pvs. First Class W. Chisholm, T. H. Butler, H. L. Richardson; Private M. B. Zager; Sergeant K. H. Sonne; Pvt. First Class J. Muller, G. Kelley; Private J. C. Smolinski.

STAFF SERGEANT—PACKMASTER

Sergeants J. Moses, W. K. Misenheimer; Pvt. First Class G. H. Harris; Sergeants P. J. Donohue, F. M. Ford; Private J. Howard; Sergeants H. A. Johnson, W. C. Thorpe, B. F. Sallier, J. G. Hill, W. F. Dozier.

SERVICE NOMINATIONS PENDING

AN HOUR after the bill was signed, giving the rank of major general to the Chief of Chemical War Service and the Chief of Finance, the nominations of Brig. Gen. Amos Alfred Frieze and Brig. Gen. Kenzie Wallace, Walker were on the way to the Senate, arriving there on February 26. At the same time, the President sent to the Senate the nominations of Capt. Noble E. Erwin, to be a rear admiral, and Comdr. Lewis B. Porterfield, to be captain.

There is no opposition to the nominations pending before the Military Committee and the Naval Committee of the Senate, as far as known. None is expected, and both committees will report favorably on the nominations pending within a day or so, and they will all be confirmed promptly.

NAVY OMNIBUS BILL TO PASS

THE Naval Omnibus Bill has been placed on the list of bills that are to pass the Senate at this session by the Steering Committee of the Senate. This means that the leaders agree that it is an urgent measure and that it will be put through the Senate at any moment. It occupies a preferred position and it is not believed that it can be held up unless a group of Senators should conduct a filibuster, which does not appear to be probable at this time.

As an Omnibus Bill has already passed the House, the bill, upon its passage by the Senate, will be referred immediately to the joint conference committee. As it will not be necessary to take up the details of the bill in either house again, it is confidently hoped that the conference bill will be adopted and the bill will become a law at this session.

ADM. NULTON SUCCEEDS ADM. WILSON AT U.S.N.A.

COINCIDENT with his transfer to the retired list of the Navy, having reached the age of 64 years, Rear Admiral Henry B. Wilson was succeeded on Monday as superintendent of the Naval Academy by Rear Admiral Louis McC. Nulton. Admiral Wilson assumed the superintendency on July 5, 1921.

The ceremonies connected with the transfer were very simple. At nine, the pennant of Admiral Wilson was hauled down from the mast of the station ship, the Reina Mercedes, and that of Admiral Nulton hauled up in its place. At the same time a salute of 13 guns was fired and Admiral Wilson relinquished the command of the station.

An hour later Admiral Wilson, with Mrs. Wilson, drove from No. 2 gate of the Academy. The midshipmen were ranked on either side, standing at the salute as the car drove by, and four "N's," with three "Uncle Henry's," were given with a will. Admiral Wilson was deeply touched by this mark of affection on the part of the midshipmen.

NOTABLES ADDRESS D. C. DEFENSE CONFERENCE

THE President, the Secretaries of War and the Navy and numerous high officers of the Army and Navy addressed the Women's Conference on National Defense as Peace Insurance, which was in session at Washington, D. C., during the past week. All of the speakers, including President Coolidge, emphasized the need of an adequate defense. Mrs. O. D. Oliphant, national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, at one of the sessions at which she presided, declared that "We are those women who are not afraid and were not afraid to raise our boys to be soldiers."

President Coolidge declared his opposition to the idea of "abolishing the Army and Navy," urging "moderate armament." Secretary of War Weeks pointed out the fact that America had always waged war in defense of an ideal and declared that the need of force to carry out the ideal did not impair its righteousness. Major General John L. Hines, Chief of Staff, declared that the present strength of the Regular Army makes it necessary for each man to pretend he is four to carry on maneuvers. He urged the holding of maneuvers, the replenishment of reserve munitions and the building of the Army under a consistent program.

Major Generals Hanson E. Ely, commandant of the Army War College, and Eli A. Helmick, the Inspector General, also made addresses. General Helmick emphasized the need of combatting extremist societies in the colleges.

Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur attacked as "servile a pusillanimous submission" to gain peace, citing the Armenian massacres as a proof that there is no security in complete disarmament. He said that our Navy, "like every other Navy, was built and maintained to fight," and called it "the nation's pledge of its firm purpose to maintain its will against opposition."

Admiral W. B. Eberle, Chief of Naval Operations, urged active interest in the Navy and asserted that "efficient preparation for war in time of peace alone can insure an enduring peace." Admiral W. R. Shoemaker, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, described the personnel of the Navy.

Rear Admiral W. V. Phelps cited the historic development of the nation and the part the Navy played in them, concluding with a warning that England resented the building of an American merchant marine and that serious differences are brewing over shipping policies. He said, "These differences can be prevented from developing into conflict only by a strong Navy."

GIVE C. M. T. C. QUOTA

THE Act of Congress making appropriations for the Army, F.Y. 1926, approved February 12, 1925, contains an appropriation of \$2,807,471 for the Citizens' Military Training Camps. Therefore, the following minimum quotas to be trained and applications to be obtained in each Corps Area are announced. Reference is made to C.M.T.C. No. 2, January 24, 1925:

In the Corps Areas the number to be trained and the applications to be obtained are as follows: First—3,000 to train; 4,400 applications. Second—4,700 to train; 6,500 applications. Third—3,900 to train; 5,600 applications. Fourth—4,000 to train; 5,700 applications. Fifth—4,200 to train; 6,000 applications. Sixth—3,900 to train; 5,600 applications. Seventh—4,900 to train; 6,700 applications. Eighth—3,400 to train; 5,000 applications. Ninth—3,000 to train; 4,500 applications. Total, 35,000 to train; 50,000 applications.

NOTES FROM THE BATTLE FLEET

[By Air Mail]

ON the cruise of the United States Fleet to the Hawaiian Islands in April there will be a large number of passengers assigned to the battleships in addition to the Regular and Reserve Officers.

It is understood that the Navy Department has invited a large number of editors, managers and owners of important newspapers, representatives of the large news associations and photographic news companies. It is also considered very probable that a few Members of Congress especially interested in the Navy will make the trip. The total number of civilian guests will probably not exceed seventy.

In addition to the civilian guests there will probably be at least fifty Naval Reserve Officers and somewhere over one hundred men of the Reserve Force assigned to the ships making the cruise. Practically all Reserve Officers of the Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth Districts who can arrange their affairs will make their annual cruise with the Fleet.

It is not definitely known when the civilian guests and Reserve Officers and men will return to the United States, but arrangements will be made to return the Reserves to Seattle, San Francisco and San Diego by Naval vessels in order to save cost of commercial transportation.

THE continued bad weather in the San Pedro-San Diego area has seriously affected the carrying out of the Gunnery Schedule of the Battle Fleet. The battleships were scheduled for overhaul during the week of February 16 to 23, but due to the large number of practices remaining to be fired, it will be necessary to utilize part of the overhaul week to rehearse and fire several practices.

In the case of the destroyers at San Diego, the regular schedule overhaul for these vessels will not be interfered with except in extreme emergency. The destroyers, although slightly behind in the schedule, will very probably complete all practices prior to sailing for San Francisco on April 3.

THE vessels of the Battle Fleet which obtained high scores on Short Range Battle Practice are in receipt of letters from the Navy Department authorizing the payment of first, second and third class prizes for this practice. The percentage allowed for each class of prizes has been increased for this year.

MICHIGAN R.O.T.C. PLAN BIG ANNUAL HORSE SHOW

L.T. COL. T. L. SHERBURNE, Cavalry (D.O.L.), U. S. Army, Professor of Military Science and Tactics at Michigan Agricultural College, has announced plans for the Third Annual R.O.T.C. Horse Show, which will be held May 29 and 30.

The show is sponsored by the Corps of Cadets at the Michigan institution to foster the interest of the general public in the horse. Last year a two days show of 18 classes was held, these were filled by horsemen from all over the state, including the Kent Saddle Club of Grand Rapids, and the three clubs in Detroit; The Grosse Pointe Hunt Club, The Detroit Riding and Hunt Club, and The Bloomfield Open Hunt.

This year the riding and hunt clubs in the following cities have been invited to enter: Detroit, Toronto, Cleveland, Lansing, Grand Rapids and Chicago. A prize list, worth over \$1000 is being offered in the form of trophies and cash prizes this year. Capt. Wm. C. Chase, Cav. (D.O.L.), is secretary-treasurer.

HONOR LATE CHAPLAIN CLARK

A MEMORIAL service was held in the Naval Academy Chapel on February 23 to dedicate a communion rail and tablet to the late Henry Howard Clark, D.D., Captain, Corps of Chaplains, U.S.N., who served 51 years as a naval chaplain, 19 of them at the Naval Academy, and was one of the best-known chaplains in the Service. Chaplain Sydney K. Evans officiated at the service. Admiral and Mrs. Henry B. Wilson presented two sanctuary books in memory of the midshipmen who died during their stay at the Academy.

Chaplain Evans presented a large altar service book in memory of Chaplain Clark. Midshipmen J. T. Bowers, jr., and J. A. Scott unveiled the memorial. Chaplain Clark died on November 22 and was interred in the Naval Academy Cemetery.

THE Commander-in-Chief, Battle Fleet, who will be in charge of conducting Force Practice this year, has designated March 25 as the date for this practice. During the three days March 23, 24 and 25, all units of the Battle Fleet and units of the Scouting Fleet then in Pacific Waters will assemble at San Pedro to take part in this practice. Admiral Coontz, Commander-in-Chief, United States Fleet, and his Staff will witness this practice from one of the battleships of the Battle Fleet, and it is very probable that Rear-Admiral C. F. Hughes, U. S. Navy, Director of Fleet Training, will also be present to witness the practice.

THE Tactical Problem, which will commence the latter part of February, will be completed about March 12. It is expected that the units of the Battle Fleet and Scouting Fleet which take part in this problem will arrive at San Diego on March 13 and remain at San Diego over the week-end, until March 16. The battleships and cruisers will anchor off the Coronado Hotel while all the light forces will be assigned to berths inside the harbor at San Diego. In order to continue with target practice exercises, the battleships will leave San Diego on March 16th and return to San Pedro where they will base until they leave for San Francisco on April 3.

THE Navy Department is endeavoring to arrange for a Navy Tug to assist in the survey of Revilla Gigeo Islands during the coming spring and summer. These islands lie to the south of Cape San Lucas on the southern point of Lower California and about two hundred miles from San Diego. This survey will be made in conjunction with the California Academy of Sciences and will take about three months.

THE Committee in Charge of the Los Angeles Horse Show which is to be held at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles the week beginning February 16 has designated February 19 as Navy Night. The Committee has invited Admiral S. S. Robison, members of his staff and fifty other officers of the Fleet, accompanied by their wives, to be guests of the Committee that night. Admiral and Mrs. Robison have accepted and it is reported that a large number of officers and their wives were present.

APPROVE ITINERARY OF MEMPHIS CRUISE

THE itinerary of the shakedown cruise of the U.S.S. Memphis has been approved. It will include visits to Trinidad, St. Thomas and Guacanayabo Bay, Cuba. On April 13, the Memphis will participate in dedication services of a Memorial Gateway to Admiral Oliver Hazard Perry at Port of Spain, Trinidad. This memorial is in the form of an iron gateway with two supporting columns which is being erected at the entrance to the Lapeyrouse Cemetery, where Admiral Perry was buried in 1819. The gateway will have two bronze tablets.

The records of the Navy Department show that Admiral Perry was born in South Kingstown, Rhode Island, on August 23, 1785 and he died on board the U. S. Frigate John Adams, lying at Port of Spain August 23, 1819 and that his remains were buried in the Lapeyrouse Cemetery the following day; that the U. S. Sloop-of-war Lexington, commanded by Captain Shubrick, was detailed for the purpose and brought the remains back to the United States, arriving at Newport, R. I., November 27, 1826 and that final interment was made on December 4, 1826 in what is now known as the Island Cemetery in Newport, Rhode Island.

WITHSTANDS BOMBARDMENT

UNCONFIRMED reports from London state that H. M. S. Monarch, which was recently scrapped under the terms of the Washington Arms Treaty, withstood the bombardment of seven modern British battleships for ten hours, as well as bombing by seaplanes from an airship carrier, finally being sunk by salvos from H. M. S. Repulse. The target ship carried no ammunition in her magazines. English naval experts are said to be pleased over the results of the test.

ADMIRAL FISKE ASSERTS JAPAN HOLDS "TRUMPS"

REAR ADM. BRADLEY A. FISKE, U.S.N., retired, and Mr. Yusuke Tsurumi, member of the Japanese Bureau of Colonization, discussed Japanese-American relations at the Foreign Policy Association's luncheon at the Hotel Astor, New York city, recently.

"Japan holds most of the trumps, largely because of the conviction of millions of our good people that peace is the noblest condition of mankind," said Admiral Fiske. "Japan, by merely threatening to capture the Philippines, would make these millions of good people insist on yielding to Japan's desires."

"Even if we believe that Japan does not actually wish to go to war, we should realize that the tremendous peace propaganda in this country tends toward handling the key of the situation to Japan, and even putting the United States into her power."

In his opening remarks Admiral Fiske spoke of the politeness and patriotism of the Japanese, and their awakening after the visit of Commodore Perry, which had resulted in the building of a great commercial fleet and a great navy to protect it, a policy parallel to that of Great Britain. He referred to the wresting of the Philippines from Spain by the United States as the first threat to Japan's position in the Far East. After the World War had brought into being an American merchant marine, competition between the two nations followed and serious results became possible, he pointed out.

"Of all the causes for foreign war, competition for foreign trade has always been the greatest," Admiral Fiske continued. "Today our sales across the Pacific are little more than our sales to South America, where there are only 60,000,000 people, most of whom are Indian peons of low buying power. In the Far East there are probably 900,000,000 of at least equal average buying power. For this, the greatest of the future markets of the world, competition between the United States and the Japanese Empire is inevitable. Hence the possibility of war."

Mr. Tsurumi confined his remarks largely to the political and social changes taking place in Japan. He spoke of his country's march toward democracy, and prophesied the passage next month of the manhood suffrage bill, to be followed shortly by woman suffrage.

CALIFORNIA FIVE WINS

THE basket-ball team from the U. S. S. California won the championship of the Battleship Divisions in basket-ball for the year 1924-1925. The U. S. S. Nevada and U. S. S. California tied for first place, each team having lost only one game, but with the defeat of the Nevada by the Tennessee by a score of 41 to 23, the California was given the championship, and added one hundred points to her score in the competition for the "Iron Man." The basket-ball team from the U. S. S. Omaha had won the championship for the Destroyer Squadron and the U. S. S. Relief for the Fleet Base Force.

The Battle Fleet Championship and the Basket-Ball Trophy will be settled the latter part of the month when the teams from the California, Omaha and Relief fight it out.

COMPETITION CLOSE

THE competition in the Battle Fleet for the Fleet Athletic Championship or, as it is commonly known, the "Iron Man" is very close when it is considered that there still remain a large number of events to be contested for.

The standing of the four leading ships in the competition for the "Iron Man" is as follows: 1 U. S. S. Pennsylvania, 566; 2 U. S. S. California, 450; 3 U. S. S. Arizona, 395 and 4 U. S. S. Tennessee, 285.

BUILD NEW LANDING

THE City of Long Beach has recently authorized the building of a new landing at the end of the Pine Street Pier for the use of Navy craft. The present landing is unsatisfactory for the use of small boats and in bad weather makes landing from the Subchaser difficult. The plans for the new landing have been approved by officers of the Fleet and it is expected that small boats will be able to land passengers on the new landing, except in case of very bad weather.

SPECIAL SERVICE NEWS AND COMMENT

BY E. B. JOHNS

IT now becomes apparent that the proposition for a separate Air Service and the development of aviation generally was only a "red herring" drawn across "the path" of National Defense. Even General Mitchell and Mr. Curry, the author of the bill for a separate Air Service, must be able to see this now, in view of the statement that has been given out by Mr. Perkins from the Select Committee for the Investigation of Aircraft.

In the beginning the advocates of preparedness must have become suspicious when they noted the number of members of Congress and others who have never supported National Defense measures who became enthusiastic over the separate Air Service, and the discussion of the importance of aviation both in time of peace and war.

ANTI-PREPAREDNESS SUPPORT

ABOUT the only real friends of preparedness who were prominent in the advocacy of a separate Air Service were Gen. Mitchell and Mr. Curry. There were a few others who believed that aviation was being neglected who joined in the movement, but in the main General Mitchell and Mr. Curry were being supported by the anti-preparedness group.

These made much of the attacks that were being directed by General Mitchell against the policy of the War and Navy Departments. Not that they cared anything for the real development of an Air Service, whether it was under a separate department or under the War and Navy Departments, but they were using General Mitchell and Mr. Curry to discredit the Army and Navy.

However, when it became apparent that Mr. Curry and General Mitchell were asking for a budget for the Air Service and for a real program, it was noted that the enthusiasm began to wane. At one time the members were insisting that Congress was appropriating more for aviation than any other country was expending and, at the same time, they were supporting General Mitchell and Mr. Curry in their endeavor to secure an adequate program for aerial defense.

There are few in the Army and Navy who did agree with General Mitchell in his proposal for a separate Air Service. Everyone in the Services who has watched the trend of events at the Capitol is alleged to agree that General Mitchell, like "old dog Tray," got into bad company. The same is true of Mr. Curry, who has always been a consistent and loyal supporter of National Defense measures. Their alleged friends who, when they see that General Mitchell and Mr. Curry are really asking for National Defense legislation, are deserting them.

PRESS SMOKE SCREENS

HEROIC efforts are being made by part of the daily press to create an impression that the Aircraft Committee was forced to close its investigation before it had an opportunity to look into all the phases of the problem. This, despite the fact, as Mr. Perkins explained, that the report of the hearing will make a volume of close to 6000 pages. Mr. Perkins explained that the committee will keep "open house" until this Congress adjourns.

Although Secretary Weeks indicated all along that he was willing to appear before the committee voluntarily, a labored attempt was made during the last two weeks to create the impression that he was dodging a "subpoena" and attempting to conceal something. The Secretary has nothing to conceal.

Under the Vesta resolution, if it is passed, the Air Committee will be authorized to make its report on December 15 in the next session. If this resolution is not passed, the committee automatically ceases to exist with the adjournment of this Congress and would not be authorized to make a report to the next Congress. If Congress should pass a joint resolution and the President signs it, the committee could be continued as a commission and conduct an investigation for an indefinite period. There is not the least probability of Congress creating another commission. The older members of Congress are fully aware that it is almost impossible to abolish a commission after it is once established. Ingenious propaganda, assisted by the members of the commission, is always used for reasons to continue a commission. It never gets through investigating.

Congress realizes that it has three committees which handle aviation legislation and that there are a number of boards in the War, Navy and Postoffice departments. It is not in any way inclined to add to the

numerous boards and committees now engaged in studying aeronautics. As has been previously stated, some of the members of the Air Investigating Committee are evidently making an endeavor to perpetuate the committee or transform it into a commission.

As soon as the leaders on both sides of the House saw evidence of this they gave notice to the members of the committee that all the House would do would be to extend the time for making the report to Congress. Under the resolution creating the committee it was to have reported to the House before adjournment of this Congress.

ACTION ON GEN. MITCHELL

IN the matter of the reappointment of Brig. Gen. Wm. Mitchell at the expiration of his term as assistant chief of the Air Service, on April 27, it can be stated upon the highest authority that:

1. The matter is entirely in the hands of the Secretary of War, Weeks.
2. The Secretary of War has not yet decided whether he will reappoint General Mitchell, and
3. The Secretary of War will not decide until after the conclusion of the investigation by the House Air Committee.

The Secretary does not propose to be swept off of his feet by anything that occurs on the Capitol Hill in connection with the investigation. Whether he reappoints General Mitchell depends upon the effect that this action will have upon the Army and Navy.

Ordinarily, conditions in the Army would be considered alone, but, in view of the development on Capitol Hill, which has involved the sister Service, the welfare of the Navy as well as that of the Army will be taken into consideration.

WANTS CO-OPERATION

THE question that the Secretary is turning over in his mind is whether General Mitchell will work loyally in carrying out the policy of the War Department and co-operate willingly with the Navy. Early in the session the Secretary made known the fact that he had no objections to officers who have not agreed with the War Department in its Air Service policy to make known their views when called before Congressional committees. It cannot be stated too strongly that the Secretary will not hold any witnesses who appeared before the committee responsible for their testimony. He is not concerned with General Mitchell's testimony, but with his attitude toward the Army and the Navy. These are matters which the Secretary will take up with General Mitchell after the fog that has been raised by the investigating committee has cleared away, and the time has arrived when he will be required to make his decision.

ENGLISH AIR CONTROVERSY

THE Navy Department has compiled a great mass of quotations from English papers which indicate that the fight to return the Air Service to the Army and Navy in England is more bitter than that raging in this country over the proposal to create a united Air Service. The United Air Service of Great Britain is being attacked in the daily press with greater vehemence than the Army and Navy has been in the hearings before the House investigating committee.

As an instance, the Daily Mail of Great Britain, under the head of "Our Lost Air Power," prints an article in which it is stated that "Britain is without a single record," while "the bulk are held by the United States and France."

The article starts off by declaring: "Not a single world's airplane record now stands to the credit of Great Britain. Such is the fact revealed by a complete list of aviation records just issued by the International Aeronautical Federation. The Federation, to which our Royal Aero Club is affiliated, is the body which places its seal of authority upon aerial records. Until it has done so, a record is not recognized officially."

"The figures, including records of speed, distance, duration and altitude, are the United States 53 records, France 14, Denmark 5, Czechoslovakia 4, Sweden 1, Great Britain 0."

"The 1,890 miles, non-stop flight from St. Johns, Newfoundland, to Clifton county, Galway, with which in June, 1919, the late Sir John Alcock and Sir A. Whitten Brown won the Daily Mail Transatlantic prize, is recognized by the Federation as an authentic performance, but does not come under the head of world's records."

It would appear that Great Britain has its air service controversies as well as the United States. In comparison our affair is like a spirited contest between Boy Scouts. The real battle is raging in Great Britain.

PATRIOTIC CONFERENCE

THAT the throngs of visitors to Washington during the inaugural period will not lack for instruction and entertainment became evident February 26 with the announcement that the National Patriotic Council, of which Mrs. Noble Newport Potts, a patriotic leader of Washington, D. C., is president, would hold a two-day conference at the New Willard Hotel March 5-6, the sessions of which would be open to the public as well as to the members of the organization.

The opening feature of the conference will be a great patriotic concert designated "Voices of the States," in which several prominent church choirs of the National Capital and other musical organizations and noted singers will participate. Those in the great throng, representing various States, will be directed in singing their State songs by William E. Braithwaite, a noted precentor of Washington.

The underlying motifs of the National Patriotic Council and of the approaching conference are unalterable opposition to the insidious encroachment of communism, as well as to ultra-pacifism, and strong support for the idea of an adequate Army and Navy for the United States.

ARMY HOUSING LEGISLATION

AN effort will be made to rush a joint resolution through Congress in the closing days, which will authorize the Wadsworth-James Joint Committee, which has under consideration the War Department's Barracks and Quarters construction program, to sit during the recess of Congress and visit some of the posts. The Joint Senate and House Committee has been so deeply impressed with the needs of the adoption of a comprehensive program that its members are anxious to take up the problem and submit a report in the early weeks of next session.

Chairman James of the House section of the committee, is of the opinion that the committee could go into the question of what use is being made of the property which the War Department has transferred recently to other departments. If this property is not of real use to the other departments, he thinks that it should be returned to the War Department and be disposed of in order to secure funds to carry out any building program that Congress may adopt.

"Seventy million dollars," said Mr. James, "is the value fixed on the property, which has been turned over by the War Department to the other departments. This is a great deal of property, even in this day of large expenditures, for the Government, and it is altogether probable that much of this is not now of any real use to the other departments."

"If it is not, it should be returned to the War Department, as the witnesses have already made out a case of the urgent need of housing for the Regular Army. The housing problem in the Army is more serious than any of the problems that the cities of the country are facing. As far as I am concerned, I am in favor of going into the whole affair, so that we will be ready for Congress when it convenes."

UNFAVORABLE COURT RULINGS

THERE was considerable speculation in Service circles as to the effect of the decision of the Court of Appeals in California in dismissing a case of Barber vs. Hetfield, involving the opinion of the Comptroller General relative to allowance for dependents. The complainant won in the District Court, and the decision was in line with that of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in the Cox and Thomas cases. However, it is admitted by attorneys for the Government that the powers of the courts of the District of Columbia in granting mandamus against Federal officers are somewhat broader than those of the District Federal Courts.

In connection with the decision of the Federal Court of Appeals in California it is pointed out that Section 24 of the Act of 1911 expressly denies the right of the United States District Court to mandamus the Federal authorities in cases involving salaries and wages. This, it is believed, may not apply to the same degree to District Courts.

Another case—that of Capt. Barker of the Army against the Finance Officer—was

tried January 24 in the Northern District Court of Georgia on February 5. The mandamus was refused and the case dismissed for the want of jurisdiction, as in the case in the California Court. There are two cases in the Circuit Court at Boston which will shortly come up for decision.

FIND ALLEGED NAVY LIQUOR

NOTHING since the Declaration of War created a more profound sensation at the Navy Department than the telegram received from Rear Adm. Roger Welles, Commandant of the Fifth Naval District, on February 25. The telegram reads:

"By my direction the U.S.S. Beaufort was searched upon her arrival from the West Indies, with the result that approximately 40 cases of assorted intoxicating liquor were found on board and seized. Board of investigation will be convened immediately with power to administer oaths."

The morning papers contained accounts of the seizing of the liquor on board the Beaufort, of which Comdr. D. W. Fuller was commander. Officers at the department were inclined to discredit the newspaper reports, and it was not until the official advice was received from Adm. Welles that they would credit such sensational developments.

The affair came at a very unfortunate time, when the Navy was being the target of attacks in Congress. The Secretary and officers in the department were inclined to withhold comment until the investigation is completed, so as to determine just what took place and how the liquor came to be aboard the Beaufort.

COL HAMMOND MENTIONED

COL. Creed C. Hammond of Oregon has recently become prominent as the probable successor to General Rickards as Chief of the Militia Bureau. He is now on duty in the bureau as Chief of the Finance and Supply Section. He formerly served on the General Staff, and his friends are insisting that he is especially equipped for duty as Chief of the Militia Bureau.

Although coming from Oregon, Colonel Hammond has received endorsement from States in every Corps Area and is especially favored in New England. His duties as finance and supply officer have put him in close personal touch with the National Guard in every State of the Union and won for him a host of friends who are now urging his promotion to the head of the bureau.

Colonel Hammond joined the Oregon National Guard April 8, 1892. He served with the 22d U.S. Infantry, 1st Nebraska U.S. Vols., in the Spanish-American War and in the Philippine Insurrection. In the World War he was a colonel of Coast Artillery, served on the War Department General Staff and in the Militia Bureau.

He has a total of over nine years in the Federal service, and a total of thirty-two years of military service. He is on the General Staff eligibility list and holds a reserve commission. With this record his friends, not only in the National Guard but in Congress as well, are insisting that his career should be rounded out by a tour of duty as Chief of the Militia Bureau.



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1ST INFANTRY DIVISION

ARRANGEMENTS are now being made for the annual dinner of the 1st Division to be held at Hotel Commodore, New York city, on Saturday night, March 14. The event will be among the most important social functions of the season.

Reservation should be sent to Major J. L. Times, jr., 17 Wall street, New York city. The cost per plate will be \$5.

THE rating of organizations and detachments of the 16th Infantry, U.S.A., Col. S. H. Ford, on duty at Fort Jay, N. Y., for the month of January has resulted in Company E, Lt. Charles A. Welcher, commanding, being declared No. 1.

The official announcement states that Company E is entitled to the "Blue Pennant of Excellence" for the highest in military efficiency relating to personal appearance, clothing and equipment, and will be carried by the company at all ceremonies.

Company F, Capt. John F. Gleaves commanding, won the "Blue Banner of Excellence" for the highest rating in military efficiency, relating to kitchen and dining room, and the banner is placed in the dining room of the organization.

A SERIES of three battalion and post boxing tournaments for the 16th Infantry, U.S.A., at Fort Jay, N. Y., has been announced by Col. S. H. Ford, and they will be in charge of Lt. John V. Grombach, athletic officer.

A STRIKING feature at the dinner of the 1st Infantry Division U.S.A., to be held at Hotel Commodore, New York city, Saturday night, March 14, will be the presence of three combat commanders.

The three combat commanders are: Maj. Gen. Robert L. Bullard, Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall and Brig. Gen. Frank Parker.

3D INFANTRY DIVISION

AT A parade of special troops, Third Division, at Camp Lewis, January 29, Major General Johnson, Third Division, presented the trophy for basketball championship of Camp Lewis to the special troops team. Teams from the Tenth F.A. and Sixth English had also contended for this trophy.

This organization has done well in basketball, boxing and track and field events in the last two years, winning five first place cups in all, as follows: Boxing, 1922-23; basketball, 1922-23, 1923-24 and track and field meet, 1922. A good baseball team is expected this year.

27TH INFANTRY DIVISION

OFFICERS recently commissioned, and assigned to organizations in the New York National Guard, are the following:

Major P. J. Vetter, to Medical Detachment, 258th Field Artillery.

Major L. R. Adams, to Medical Detachment, 14th Infantry.

Major W. T. Powers, to 369th Infantry as Machine Gun Officer.

Capt. G. L. Amouroux, to Howitzer Co., 369th Infantry.

Capt. J. H. Vaught, to 3d Battalion Hdqrs. 106th Field Artillery.

Capt. Frank J. Montrose, to Medical Detachment, 106th Field Artillery.

Chaplain Donald C. Stuart, to 108th Infantry.

Capt. A. J. Bennett, to Medical Detachment, 108th Infantry.

Capt. F. A. Gillette, to Co. B., 106th Infantry.

First Lt. E. J. Rafter, to Co. C., 71st Infantry.

First Lt. H. E. Shoemaker, to 2d Battalion Hdqrs. Co., 10th Infantry.

First Lt. J. A. Carney, to Co. A., 106th Infantry.

First Lt. F. H. Doane, to Co. C., 107th Infantry.

First Lt. A. S. MacLaire, to Medical Detachment, 258th Field Artillery.

First Lt. W. J. McGiffert to Battery E, 156th Field Artillery.

First Lt. J. J. Williams, to Co. K, 71st Infantry.

First Lt. Harold W. Meyer, to Battery M, 245th Coast Artillery.

First Lt. Porter C. Todd, to Howitzer Company, 174th Infantry.

Second Lt. L. Boisvert, to Service Battery, 106th Field Artillery.

Second Lt. C. Du Bois Carleton, to Service Battery, 104th Artillery.

Second Lt. A. C. Stevenson, to Howitzer Company, 369th Infantry.

Second Lt. G. L. Brown, to Troop F, 101st Cavalry.

Second Lt. A. A. Dery, to Co. A, 106th Infantry.

DIVISIONS AND ARMY CORPS

The following officers of the New York National Guard, who recently resigned, have been honorably discharged.

Capt. B. D. Brennan, 106th Infantry.
First Lts. J. B. Springer, 14th Infantry; J. E. Barriger, 10th Infantry; D. S. Scott, 71st Infantry; V. J. Redmond, 258th Field Artillery; A. Bonti, 165th Infantry; F. C. Mayer 71st Infantry; A. N. Hyde, 106th Infantry.

Second Lts. M. T. Christy, 258th Field Artillery; L. M. Howe, 174th Infantry; R. P. Lewis, 108th Infantry; J. E. McHugh, 212th Coast Artillery; E. N. Vestner, 104th Field Artillery.

2D CAVALRY DIVISION

"THE best defense is a strong offense":

This cardinal military principle became the battle-cry of the 10th Cavalry Polo Team in its game against Midwick at Alhambra on February 15. The horsemen from Ft. Huachuca came up from behind and swent to victory over the powerful opponents by an 8-7 score.

The eighth and last chukker opened with the score 6-5 in favor of Midwick. Early in the period, Midwick tallied from a scrimmage in front of goal. With but two minutes to play, Lt. Thayer registered a goal for the 10th Cavalry, and shortly after Capt. Taylor tied the score with a beautiful cross stroke under the neck. The ball was in play when the final bell rang, and so play continued. With a beautiful display of teamwork, the Army team carried the ball from out of their own territory down to the enemy goal. Capt. Taylor tallied and the game was over.

The first seven chukkers were closely contested. Midwick lead most of the time. Lt. Thayer starred for the Army, his thrilling runs drawing cheers from the large gallery. Pattee was the Midwick star, and bore the brunt of the battle. Wigmore's pony fell in the seventh chukker. Neither pony nor player were injured and play was resumed.

The game marked the third and last appearance of the 10th Cavalry team at Alhambra. The first two games were won by Midwick. Another game, scheduled originally for February 12 and then postponed to February 13, was finally canceled on account of wet field. On February 17, the 10th Cavalry Team moved to Coronado, where practice games will be played in preparation for the polo tournament held there in March.

MIDWICK defeated the 10th Cavalry in the first game of a 2-game series, on Alhambra Field at Pasadena on February 6. The game was played in a light drizzle, which grew more persistent towards the end of the contest.

Despite the unfavorable weather conditions, however, the game was a fast one. The play was very open, especially in the early part of the game. Pretty team-work was displayed by both sides in getting the ball started down the field away from the defended goal.

Midwick got off for an early lead in the first period, which lead it held until the third, when the 10th tied the score in a brilliant rally. From that time on, it was any man's game, until the seventh chukker. In this chukker, Midwick led by Miller, a member of the Midwick "Big Four" and the outstanding star of the game, rolled up a lead which could not be overcome.

The second game of the series was played on February 8. Midwick took it by a score of 13 to 6. The game was a faster one than the first. A light rain, which began to fall in the third chukker, had a retarding effect on the ball, but did not in the least slow up the ponies. Both teams made frequent spectacular runs from goal to goal. The failure of the 10th Cavalry to turn these runs into goals accounts in a good measure for the defeat suffered.

Midwick went into the lead in the second chukker, which lead was never seriously threatened. For Midwick, the play: "Miller to Wigmore to goal" was an effective one. On the Army side the play of Lt. Thayer stood out. This player picked up passes from every angle and time and again carried the ball deep into Midwick territory.

63D CAVALRY DIVISION NOTES

THE seventh session of the Special School in Applied Tactics and Troop Leading for National Guard and Reserve Officers of Chattanooga was held on the night of February 10, 1925, at the Fyffe Barracks,

the recently completed National Guard Armory of Chattanooga. A well arranged dinner was served prior to the school session and was enjoyed by 30 National Guard and Reserve Officers and six Regulars.

Following the dinner Col. J. P. Fyffe, 109th Cavalry, toastmaster, called on several officers for brief, humorous remarks after which the business of the school was begun.

The subject was an outpost problem, the class being divided into small groups, and each group given certain requirements to solve, which kept each officer interested and occupied.

The dinner phase preceding the class was an experiment. However, it proved so successful that plans are now under way to repeat the affair in the near future.

THE following named Reserve Officers have been assigned or attached to units of the 63d Cavalry Division as indicated after their names: Major Harry A. Hall, Cav., O.R.C., 1843 Walnut St., Jacksonville, Fla., to Gen. Staff Section, Div. Hq. (Att.); Capt. John A. Darrow, Cav., O. R. C., Winter Haven, Fla., to Gen. Staff, Sec., Div. Hq. (Att.); 2d Lt. William E. Cooke, Box 172, St. Augustine, Fla., to Troop B, 309th Cav. (Att.); 1st Lt. Thomas A. Jones, jr., F.A., O.R.C., 208 Pearson Drive, Asheville, N. C., to Battery A, 463d F.A. Bn. (Asgd.); 2d Lt. Frederick Sale, Cav., O.R.C., Birmingham Post, Birmingham, Ala., to Troop G, 310th Cavalry (Asgd.).

MUCH interest is being manifested by officers and enlisted personnel of the Artillery regiments comprising the 101st Division in 1925 training camp plans. Camp for the instruction of the National Guard and Organized Reserve Artillery is to be held at Camp Robinson, Sparta, Wis., from May 1 to August 30. The terrain at Camp Robinson is ideal for artillery practice; field and anti-aircraft artillery regiments to be trained there will have excellent opportunities for many splendid firing problems. Testing out in a practical manner the theoretical work studied during armory and correspondence courses will prove very interesting and is expected to greatly stimulate the development of the units.

BOTH Divisional Insignia for the 101st and Coat of Arms and Crest for the 401st Infantry have now been approved. In the near future all units will have distinctive insignias.

THE Reserve Officers Association is "sold" to officers in Wisconsin. Chapters are being formed at several cities in the State. The Milwaukee Chapter meets at St. James Guild Hall the last Tuesday in each month. Visiting officers are welcome and urged to attend. Further information may be obtained by communicating with Divisional Headquarters, 315 Perles Building, Milwaukee.

6TH ARMY CORPS

A MEETING of the 6th Army Corps Staff was held on February 4 at Chicago, Ill., under direction of Col. Manus McCloskey, Chief of Staff.

Lt. Col. William H. Burt explained the War Department plans for Unit Training in 1925. Lt. Col. Alfred T. Clifton gave a talk on "Duties of the Corps Signal Officer and Signal Troops." Capt. George F. Unmacht gave a talk on "Duties of the Chemical Warfare Service Officer and Chemical Warfare Service Troops." Col. McCloskey advised officers who desire to serve as instructors at summer camps to submit applications therefor. He announced an invitation from Brig. Gen. Benjamin A. Poore, commanding Fort Sheridan, for Reserve Officers to visit Fort Sheridan whenever there were any drills, instruction or ceremonies of interest.

Officers were advised to get acquainted with the National Guard in their vicinity and learn what the Guard is doing.

All were again advised to keep up their Correspondence School work and to get men to apply for the Bonus or notify the War Department that no Bonus was desired.

The subjects for the March 4 meeting will be: "Duties of the Corps Adjutant," "Duties of the Corps Surgeon" and "Duties of the Corps Engineer and Engineer Troops."

The various staff groups assembled under their own leaders to discuss their own particular problems after the lectures.

12TH ARMY CORPS

THE following Reserve Officers have recently been assigned to the 12th Army Corps.

Engineers: Brig. Gen. Jay J. Morrow, 445 Riverside Drive, New York city; Maj. B. I. Hall, 231, Third ave., Olean, N. Y.; Maj. N. D. Richardson, 1800 Popham ave., New York city; Capt. E. B. Whitfield, 33 W. 42d st., New York city; Capt. R. C. Hands, Rochester, N. Y.; 1st Lt. W. C. Halbert, 4 W. 43d St., New York city; 2d Lt. L. M. Livingston, Rochester, N. Y.

Quartermaster Corps: Maj. H. D. Frisbee, 1129 Fulton St., Bronx, N. Y.; Capt. C. F. Dexter, Cortland, N. Y.

Medical Corps: Capt. H. H. Duke, Barge Officer, New York city.

Ordnance: Second Lt. C. M. Conway, 17 Clifton Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Air Service: First Lt. J. J. Niles, 170 Bleeker St., New York city; 2d Lts. M. Mennies, 25 S. State St., Vineland, N. J.; J. F. Neefus, Laurel, L. I., N. Y.; G. T. Franklin, Ovid, Seneca Co., N. Y.; D. G. Hoyt, 762 Washington Ave., Dunkirk, N. Y.; R. C. Hartsough, 421 W. 114th St., New York city; H. B. Clarke, Garden City Hotel, Garden City, N. Y.; Maj. R. McL. Brown, 342 Madison Ave., New York city; Maj. T. Palmer, jr., 26 Broadway, New York city; Capt. P. E. Friedrich, 412 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; 1st Lt. R. W. Atkinson, 302 W. 22d St., New York city; 1st Lt. P. R. Squires, 2621 Ave "R", Brooklyn, N. Y.; 2d Lts. E. Feuerstein, Norward Garage, 1522 Southern Blvd., Bronx, N. Y.; H. G. Hoberg, 568 5th Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; L. C. Salz, 10744 111th St., Richmond Hill, L. I., N. Y.

Infantry: Capt. E. D. Shaw, 23 Wall St., New York city; A. W. Mudge, jr., 49 John St., New York city; W. B. Taylor, 130 W. 44th St., New York city; J. J. Roag, City Hall, New York city; 1st Lt. W. C. Hunter, 195 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; 1st Lt. W. R. Lockhart, 195 Broadway, Brooklyn, N. Y.; 2d Lts. J. A. Burns, Hall of Rec., N. Y. city; E. W. Anderson, 7 Popular St., Hempstead, L. I., N. Y.; W. Whitney, 463 West St., New York city; K. L. Barrett, 2162 University Ave., New York city; R. W. Pendleton, 80 Broad St., New York city; J. F. Porter, 195 Broadway, New York city; D. N. Fields, 32 Broadway, New York city; F. W. Van der Veer, 222 E. 51st St., New York city.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. CHARLES P. SUMMERALL, U.S.A., paid a tribute to the 244th Artillery, N.Y.N.G., Col. John J. Byrne, commanding, when he reviewed it in its armory in New York city on February 13.

General Summerall said in part: "The uppermost thought in my mind this evening is one of congratulation at the excellent display by this regiment, which I have just witnessed. The regiment has inspired me with the greatest confidence as to its reliability and it is an unusually representative regiment which dates its origin from Colonial days. I esteem it a high honor to have been invited to review it. Its present condition is indicative of the fine work performed by the regimental commander and his officers, and the patriotic response of the men, to this essential voluntary military duty."

General Summerall's staff for the review consisted of Lt. George J. Forster, his aid, Col. Harrison J. Price, and Lt. Col. Stephen O. Fuqua. Other officers present were: Brig. Gen. Johnson Hagood, Col. Gordon G. Heiner, Col. A. H. Huguet, Col. S. H. Ford of the Regular Army, Col. George W. Burleigh, Maj. P. Thibaud, and Maj. E. J. Winterroth of the National Guard.

The special guests included Col. C. B. Baldwin, Wm. Ottmann, Louis D. Conly, James E. Austin, W. I. Taylor, Lt. Col. David Banks, Lt. Col. E. E. Gauche, Maj. H. H. Snyder, Capt. C. E. Jacobs, and Lt. Wahle, and Mr. James K. Hackett, the celebrated actor. The regiment paraded with three battalions which were commanded respectively by Maj. Mills Miller, J. M. Perry, and J. G. P. Stokes.

A NEW Coast Artillery Battalion for the Organized Reserves has been organized in the 2d Coast Artillery District of New York, with Major Harold E. Bardwell, O.R.C., 131 St. Mark's Place, Staten Island, N. Y., in command. Major William S. Fulton of the Regular Army Coast Artillery is executive officer, with headquarters at 39 Whitehall street, New York city.

This new battalion is an anti-aircraft organization, pertaining to the Zone of the Interior, and has been tentatively allocated to Staten Island.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

ECONOMY in Government expenditures having made it impossible of emplacing armament at points of secondary importance for a number of years to come, studies have been undertaken with a view to augmenting such defenses with available railway artillery.

Of the railway artillery, the 14-inch .50-caliber, model 1920 gun is the only one, it is pointed out, which may be classed as major seacoast armament, and only a limited number of these guns will be available for several years to come.

The effective use of mobile railway artillery depends primarily upon the capability of existing railroads to transport it. From the data which has been collected and compiled up to this time, there is an indication that the more important units can be moved with comparative freedom throughout the United States, and that they can be installed in a short time at small cost.

APPROVAL has been given by the War Department of the coat of arms for the 514th Coast Artillery, Organized Reserves, which is under the command of Col. Charles E. Warren, O.R.C.

Under authority of section 3-A, National Defense Act, the 514th Coast Artillery A.A. was organized in October, 1923, and attached to general headquarters troops, Organized Reserves, 2nd Corps Area, with headquarters at Schenectady, N. Y. No connection with any previous organization appears.

The red stripe is for artillery, the arrow showing accuracy and speed of fire and representative of the Mohawk Tribe of Indians, once inhabitants of the territory in which the regiment is stationed.

The anti-aircraft nature and mobility of the regiment is symbolized by a winged gun pointed towards the field of fire.

The description of the shield, crest and motto of the regiment is as follows:

Shield: Azure on a bend gules fimbriated argent an Indian arrow of the like (argent) over all a winged cannon bend sinisterwise or.

Crest: That for the regiments of the Organized Reserves; on a wreath (argent and azure) the Lexington Minute Man proper. Quartermaster General drawing C.E. 5-8-1. The statue of Captain John Parker, H. H. Kitson, sculptor, which stands on the common in Lexington, Mass. Motto: They Who Pass Fly High.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made by the War Department that no Technical Sergeants, C.A.C., will be examined for promotion. Simultaneous with this announcement, it was stated that promotion examinations are not being required for non-commissioned staff officers who have held permanent warrants in the next higher grade in their present category. The following Staff Sergeants, Coast Artillery Corps, will be examined for promotion to the grade of Technical Sergeant in May: Sam T. Stanley (Clerical), Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.; Edward S. Turner (Clerical), Fort Eustis Va.; Albert W. Haffords (Clerical), Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; Victor H. Kohl (Artillery), Ft. Worden, Washington; James R. Strong (Clerical), Ft. Eustis, Va.; Henry M. Forbes (Clerical), Ft. Kamehameha, Hawaii; Gustave Pearson (Clerical), Ft. McPherson, Ga.; Frank Huff (Radio), Ft. Monroe, Va.; James R. Cook (Clerical), Fort Hancock, N. J.

COAST Artillery officers of the Coast Defenses of San Francisco have been taken on practice flights by the 91st Observation Squadron of Crissy Field, commanded by Major D. C. Emmons.

VETERINARY SERVICE

THE following named enlisted men of the Medical Department (Veterinary Service) in the order given, qualified for promotion in the examination held October 6-11, 1924.

For promotion to the grade of Technical Sergeant: Staff Sergeants Herbert G. Dietche, Charles G. Schroeder, Aug. H. Von Werder, Robt. Patterson (C), Edward Van Wetering, P. C. Czukowski, Chas. M. Fuqua, John A. Shannon, Levi J. Hardy, John Huzvar, William E. Ellis, John R. Flahive.

Those who qualified for promotion to the grade of Staff Sergeant are: Sergeants Raymond E. Weil, Francis R. Twomey, Earl F. Sherman, James E. Maloney, Henry H. Denning, Herbert L. Cole, Alphonse Dufault, M. E. Stephenson, James German, Lawrence J. Lough, George R. Dalton, John J. Keffer, Henry E. Drake (C), and Pvt. First Class H. Eberspacher.

SERVICE SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES

CORPS OF CADETS

U.S.M.A., WEST POINT, N. Y.

HAVING accepted the invitation of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton to enter the new H.Y.P.W. Chess League, the chess players at the United States Military Academy have been bending their energies toward organizing themselves here, with the result that the West Point Chess Club has been formed with about 30 active members on the list.

R. E. Randall was elected President, W. P. Corderman Vice-President, and Virgil M. Kimm the Secretary. In addition to these officers the following are the most promising players and most likely to make places on the Army team. O. C. Maier, G. H. McManus, H. W. Holmer, T. F. Trapolino and G. B. Coverdale.

The players are being coached by Captain T. Wheat, Col. Charles P. Echols, Col. L. H. Holt and Lt. W. B. Palmer. Lieutenant Palmer is acting as graduate representative in the H.Y.P.W. Chess League.

THE CAVALRY SCHOOL

FT. RILEY, KAN.

THE Troop Officers' Jumping Class, held at Fort Riley, Kan., resulted in a tie between Capt. Pierce on Reed, Capt. Ramey on McKinney and Capt. Creed on Lambert, all of whom had clean performances. In the jump off, they were placed as listed above. Lt. Puncet of the Cuban Army, on Rustler, was fourth. The Second Platoon, Capt. Coe, instructor, won the platoon phase of this event. The jumping class for officers on duty with school troops was won by Lt. Reinburg on Bum, with Lt. Jennings second, Lt. Wofford on Red Oak, third, and Major Conrad on Zoma, fourth.

The jumping class for staff officers and instructors resulted in a tie between Capt. Beeman on Touraine and Major Lyman on Pattison, who were placed in that order as the result of tossing a coin. Capt. Stevens on Prince was third and Capt. Weeks on Tracks, fourth. The Advanced Equitation class pair jumping was won by Major Strong on Dynamite and Capt. Gay on Babe Worthan, with Capt. Lambert on Black Boy and Lt. Holbrook on Raven, second, Capt. Grow on Sandy and Capt. Maddox on Juhn Bunny, third and Capt. Montes of the Cuban Army on Barrister and Lt. Comfort on Logical, fourth.

FOURTEEN hard-fought matches marked the final round of the interclass boxing tournament at the Naval Academy. The Plebes clinched the title, defeating the third class by a score of 5 to 2. This is the first time in many years that the fourth class has won the boxing championship, and it means that "Spike" Webb, Navy boxing coach, will have some good men to fill the

gaps in his team left by graduation. The second class sprang a surprise in winning over the first class, although the outcome was not decided until the final bout.

The outstanding fights of the afternoon were the two heavyweight bouts. Aichel, a huge Plebe, tipping the beams at 200 pounds, picked a tartar in Underwood of the third class. Aichel had the first round, the second was even and Underwood came through with some terrific lefts and rights in the third, which caused the judges to disagree. In the extra session the Plebe missed repeatedly, while his opponent used a right uppercut to a good advantage. The judges decided in favor of Underwood.

When Bond and Ellis climbed through the ropes the score of the match between the first and second classes stood 3 to 3. Ellis, a second classman, was much the better boxer, and in addition packed a good wallop in his right hand. He floored Bond in the second, but this did not halt the big first classman's rushes. He fought gamely to even up the score, but the judges decided in favor of Ellis.

That boxing is by far the most popular winter sport at the Naval Academy is illustrated by the fact that an inter-company boxing tournament is scheduled to begin in about two weeks. The contest will be one of entirely new men and 90 bouts will be fought.

THE team jumping class, held at the Cavalry School, for the Standard Plate and three hunting snaffles donated by Capt. Waters, was won by the 1st Platoon of the Troop Officers' Class, Capt. Roffe instructor, with a team composed of Capt. Creed on Lambert, Capt. Maher on Snake and Capt. Pierce on Reed. The Post Headquarters team, composed of Lt. Waddell on Comanche, Capt. Weeks on Tracks and Capt. Washburn on Uno, was second, and the 2d Cavalry, with Lt. Reinburg on Bum, Lt. Thornburg on Johnny Walker and Capt. Monihan on Henry, third.

COAST GUARD ACADEMY

NEW LONDON, CONN.

ON February 4, the Coast Guard Basketball team defeated by a score of 64 to 10 the New London Ship and Engine Company, the winners in the Industrial League at New London, and thereby became city champions. The Cadets have so far played 12 games and have had an unbroken string of victories over the fastest teams in New London and vicinity. Besides the Ship and Engine Company, which by almost everyone except the officers and men at the Academy was thought to be the best team in those parts, the Cadets have beaten the U. S. Naval Submarine Base, all teams in the Y. M. C. A. League, and the Battery Headquarters team, which was undefeated last year.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

abeyance until there has been a final decision by the Courts.

THE Finance School was removed from Fort Hunt, Virginia to Washington, D. C., during the early part of this fiscal year. It is operating at a minimum expense and in a satisfactory manner. During this period two classes of enlisted men have been graduated.

The school was hampered on account of shortage in transportation funds. To give instruction to the greatest number permitted by the limited allotment it was necessary to select men from the first five Corps Areas only.

For use in training officers of the Finance Officers' Reserve Corps, the school prepared correspondence course "A," sub-course II, treating the technical duties of the Finance Department. From comments received it appears that the course is giving students an excellent insight into the operation, duties and requirements of their particular branches.

THE New York Chapter of the Quartermaster Association held a meeting at the Army and Navy Club of America, 112 Central Park South, New York city, on Thursday night, February 19. Several finance officers were present, according to reports.

An exceptionally good program is promised, and the board of managers extended an invitation to all officers of the 2d Corps Area to be present. The secretary of the association is Capt. Louis H. Frohman, I.R.C., 105 W. 40th street, New York city.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

SPECIAL operations under the general engineer intelligence mission have included a comprehensive compilation of United States highway data and the standardization of method by which this information can be maintained up to date and available for use.

THE Board on Engineer Equipment, located at Fort Humphreys, Virginia, is charged with the development of such articles of equipment as may be referred to it, including design, fabrication when necessary, and test. When an article has been tested and approved, specifications are written for it and it is included in the proper equipment table.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

SUBJECTS under consideration by the board at the present time include the .50 caliber machine gun, a water circulating pump for the .30 caliber machine gun, an improved pistol lanyard and a halter tie rope, which if satisfactory will eliminate the present unsatisfactory halter shank, link strap and lariet, besides providing an improvised picket line in the field for bodies of cavalry smaller than a troop.

THE Proving Ground has carried out tests with the 17-lb. fragmentation bomb and has recommended a reduction in the height of the arming spring in order to eliminate difficulties in dropping these bombs reported from the service. These difficulties were that the bomb would sometimes hang to the plane by the safety wire, the weight of the bomb being insufficient to overcome the friction of pulling out this wire.

INITIATORY action has been taken to develop an anti-aircraft machine gun tripod and the construction of a model for test purposes. This tripod will be provided with two tripod heads and ammunition boxes, one to carry caliber .50 Browning machine gun, and one to carry caliber .30 Browning machine gun. The tripod legs will be non-adjustable in length, but an extra telescoping leg will be provided which can be substituted for one of the rigid ones, so that the value of an adjustable leg for setting up the tripod on rough ground can be determined.

This development program has been undertaken in view of a current requirement for anti-aircraft tripods for the caliber .30 Browning machine gun, and the general unsatisfactoriness of the present standard anti-aircraft tripod for that weapon (anti-aircraft tripod, model 1918). It is expected eventually, when the present large stock of caliber .30 Browning machine guns, model 1917, is exhausted, the caliber .50 Browning machine gun will replace it for anti-aircraft defense. Hence the requirement laid down in this development program for tripod heads and ammunition boxes to carry guns and ammunition of both calibers, so that once a satisfactory tripod is designed it will meet the need for both guns.

INSPECTOR GENERAL

A TACTICAL inspection of all Air Service troops and equipment at Crissy Field, Presidio, comprising the headquarters of the 3d Division Air Service, the 91st Observation Squadron, the 15th Photo Section and the 33d Air Intelligence Section, were made January 15 by Col. Walter C. Short, inspector general, Ninth Corps Area.

After an inspection of the personnel, airplanes, motor transportation, hangers and other equipment on the ground, demonstrations of Army aviation work were held in the air.

Among these were a photo flight in which the photo section was sent by the inspector to photograph a distant area. The photographers flew to the designated points, took the pictures, returned to Crissy Field and developed and printed them.

Emergency service parachutes were selected at random by the inspector and tested by attaching a weight and dropping from an airplane. Written messages were dropped for accuracy from the air at designated points, and the new method of picking up written messages from troops on the ground by means of a hook attached to an antennae wire was also demonstrated.

Other features of the inspection included observation and adjustment of artillery fire and pyrotechnic practice.

MIDSHIPMEN VICTORS IN SIX SPORT MEETS

Triumph At Wrestling, Tank, Fencing and Boxing Contests

WIN TWO CAGE TUSSLES

THE Navy teams scored six victories in five sports on February 21 at Annapolis, winning at basketball, wrestling, swimming, fencing and they also triumphed over Penn State in a boxing meet at State College. The list included two exciting basketball games, the Midshipmen beating Georgetown, 33-18, and the plebes scoring a victory over the University of Penn freshmen, 33-29. The Navy wrestlers took the Duke University matmen into camp, 24-5, the swimmers of the Naval Academy defeated those of Brown, 48-12, and the Navy fencers beat Yale, 13-4. The Navy boxers defeated Penn State at State College, Pa., 6-1.

The triumphs of the day were keenly received since they were particularly pleasing as a parting note to Rear Admiral Henry B. Wilson, who retired as Superintendent of the Academy on February 23. Admiral Wilson has been a firm friend of sports and has taken much personal interest in the athletic program here. He was a spectator at the various events which the Navy won February 21.

BEAT GEORGETOWN

The Navy basketball team had a rough time for a while against Georgetown and trailed, 13 to 8, at half-time. However, the Navy players rallied and won in the last half. The wrestlers made a clean sweep against the Duke University grapplers, but a violation of the applause rule gave McIntosh of Duke his bout over Littig in the 175-pound class.

Taking every first against Brown, as they did in the other two meets in which they have engaged this year, the Naval Academy mermen won the swimming match by 48 to 14. In spite of the one-sided score, Brown made it interesting in several events.

In the fifty yard swim, Wyckoff, Navy, won by inches over Cole, of Brown, Steples, also of Brown, being also a few inches behind his teammate. The 220-yard swim and the relay were also very close, while Rule, Wyckoff and Allan won their matches with ease. Rule, won the hundred and swam a lap in the relay after playing a good game of basketball against Georgetown. The relay, the closing event, was very exciting. Metzgar and Hull, of the visitors, got a slight lead over Hirst and Lee, of the Navy. Rule made it up and gained another yard, and Wyckoff, swimming against Cole, gained another yard.

The Naval Academy won the fencing match from Yale by the unexpectedly large score of 13 to 4. With foils, the Navy overwhelmed the visitors, the score being 8 to 1. They won with sabres, 3 to 1. With the epee, or duelling sword, there was a draw, each winning two bouts.

Stubbs and McDill fenced brilliantly with the foils for the Navy, and both had victories over Elwell, the Yale crack, hailed as a possible intercollegiate champion with the weapon. Elwell won Yale's only victory with this weapon, over Ellison, the Navy's newcomer, by five points to four.

Eskilson, Navy, with the sabre, and Zahn, Navy, and Brown, Yale, with the duelling swords, were the other stars of the match.

U.S.N.A. MITTMEN MAUL NOTRE DAME BOXERS 6-1

IN the first intercollegiate boxing match ever held, the Naval Academy won a rather easy victory over Notre Dame at Annapolis on February 14, taking six of the seven bouts, most of them by wide margins.

The athletic reputation of Notre Dame, due to its great football team, together with the fact that the Naval Academy has never lost a dual match at boxing, attracted great interest in the event. The showing of the Notre Dame men, however, was disappointing. With no lack of spirit and, in some cases, with an indication of ability, its boxers were generally no match for the Midshipmen in knowledge of the boxing game or condition.

The usual order was changed, and the

two captains, Lyon, of the Navy, and Springer, of Notre Dame, met in the opening bout. The clever Navy captain had the advantage in every round, and the second and third were both shortened because of Springer's evident distress.

Notre Dame made its best showing in the 145 and 135 pound class. In the former, McClure and Ragsdale, two clever and hard fighting collegians, were so close at the end of the third round that another was ordered. McClure had something the better of the extra period.

In the 135-pound class, Di Pasquale used a crouch which Charlson found difficult to handle. The Westerner was a lively and clever fighter, and floored Charlson in the first round. The Midshipman, however, with great gameness and cleverness, fought his way to an extra round, in which he had the distinct advantage.

The heavyweight division brought two big fellows together, Lentz, the Navy football captain, and Maxwell. Lentz had the better of it all the way, particularly in the second round.

NAVY MERMEN VANQUISH GEORGE WASHINGTON U.

THE Naval Academy opened its swimming season auspiciously at Annapolis on February 14 by winning from George Washington 53 to 9. The Midshipmen took first place in every event and second in every one but fancy diving. Indications are that the Navy is to have one of the strongest and best-balanced teams for years.

The best performance of the afternoon was Wyckoff's 57 9/10 seconds in the 100 yards free style. The closest contest was the 200-yard breast stroke, in which Johnson, captain of the Navy team, defeated his teammate, Pepper, by barely a foot. Huff did some fancy diving.

Rule, after playing center on the basketball team and scoring six field goals, swam the last lap in the relay, and did the largest share in distancing the Washington swimmers.

TIGER SEXTET TAKE ARMY STICKMEN INTO CAMP

PRINCETON'S hockey team resumed its campaign after a two weeks' rest by defeating the Army at Princeton, N. J., on February 14, 5 to 1. The game was hard fought and fairly fast, the Cadets scoring first and then holding the Tigers in check until the middle of the last period.

After the first ten minutes Princeton kept the puck in the territory of the West Pointers almost constantly, but the fast defensive work of Westphalinger and Lewis held Princeton to one goal until Charlie Davis, who was the Tiger star, got loose in the third period and passed to Captain Stout, who shot the goal. The Tigers then rang up three more in quick succession.

The lineup: Army, 1: Scheiffer, L. W.; Moscatelli, R. W.; Heidner, C.; Baird, L. D.; Westphalinger, R. D.; Lewis, G. Princeton, 5: Stout, L. W.; Scull, R. W.; Davis, C.; Taylor, L. D.; Trenholm, R. D.; Pepper, G.

Goals—Princeton: Wilkinson, Stout 2, Scull, Davis. Army: Heidner.

Substitutions—Princeton: Halstock for Scull, Wilkinson for Stout, Snyder for Davis, Means for Taylor. Army: Thiebaut for Scheiffer, Maude for Westphalinger.

Time of periods—15 minutes each.

REGATTA RIVALRY

THE entry of the Navy crew into The Poughkeepsie regatta has aroused considerable comment in collegiate rowing circles. Coupled with rumors from the West Coast that the University of Washington is again turning out a super-crew to gain laurels on the Hudson are reports from Annapolis which indicate that the midshipmen will have the material for another championship crew.

The contests between the University of Washington and the Navy have been particularly hard-fought because of the rivalry between the two institutions. The midshipmen and Washingtonians, it is thought, will stage a struggle worth seeing in June if both crews come up to pre-season predictions.

SERVICES COMPETE FOR LEECH TENNIS TROPHY

Bureau of Navigation Makes Plans to Recruit Navy Racqueteers

ARMY WAS 1924 WINNER

THE second annual Service lawn tennis tournament for the Leech Trophy, presented by Mr. A. Y. Leech, jr., through the United States Lawn Tennis Association for competition between teams representing the Army and Navy, will be competed for in the city of Washington, D. C. on June 20, 1925.

The first annual competition for this trophy, which was held June 21, 1924, was an Army affair. The Army not only won the trophy but took every match.

To stimulate interest in recruiting a team which will win the trophy for the Navy in 1925, the Bureau of Navigation has made the following announcement:

"(a) All officers and enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps on active duty are eligible for the competition.

"(b) The Navy team shall consist of ten (10) members.

"(c) The Secretary of the Navy has appointed a committee of officers on duty in or near Washington to arrange all matters preliminary to the tournament. The Chief of the Training Division, Bureau of Navigation is chairman of this Committee. The committee will work under the direction of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy as honorary chairman.

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"(d) Candidates whose records (or recommendations from commanding officers) indicate that they are good prospects for the team will be ordered to the Naval Academy, June 1, for practice and final elimination tests. The orders will be issued for the purpose of placing the candidates on a duty status, but will not include mileage or transportation due to lack of funds for that purpose. (Transportation by Government Transport, where available will be authorized). It is hoped, however, that in each command funds can be raised by subscription or from appropriate welfare funds to cover the costs of transportation to and from Annapolis. Candidates will be required to subsist themselves, but rooms will be assigned in Bancroft Hall, or at the Officers' Mess to those who desire them.

"The Bureau desires that commanding officers throughout the Service lend all practicable assistance to the personnel of their commands who may desire to compete for positions on the Navy team. Wherever practicable, commanding officers should arrange tennis tournaments within their commands and report the results to the Bureau of Navigation. The Bureau also directs that whether tournaments are held or not, commanding officers report the names of officers or men who are considered likely candidates. Such reports shall state whether or not the individual can be spared for the necessary length of time and shall be forwarded to reach the Bureau by May 1, 1925.

CHINA SPORT NOTES

THE American Army Golf Team (China) came out victorious over the British Army team by 7 points to 1 in matches played in Tientsin on January 2. In the 4-ball matches Major Gullion and Capt. Hayne (A.) won from Col. Greenhill and Major Sands (G.B.) by 3 and 2; Major Martin and Lt. McCammon (A.) defeated Capt. Lindsell and Tomlinson (G.B.), 1 up; Gen. Connor and Capt. Steele (A.) defeated Majors Pollard and James (G.B.) by 5 and 3.

The singles results were as follows: Major Gullion (A.) defeated Col. Greenhill (G.B.), 1 up; Capt. Hayne (A.) defeated Major Sands (G.B.), 2 and 1; Lt. McCammon (A.) and Capt. Lindsell (G.B.), all square; Capt. Tomlinson (G.B.) defeated Major Martin (A.) 2 up; Capt. Steele (A.) defeated Major Pollard (G.B.) 4 and 3 and Gen. Connor (A.) defeated Major James (G.B.) 5 and 4.

PRIV. GEORGE DE NORMAND, 15th Infantry, won the light-heavyweight championship of the Orient on December 30 in Tientsin, by defeating Priv. Mickey Coyne, U. S. Marine Corps. Coyne was clearly outclassed but put up a fight char-

acterized by super-gameness. In the first, third and fifth, and twice in the 7th rounds, Coyne took the count of nine and was saved from a knockout in the eighth by the sounding of the gong. De Normand has easily beaten all of his opponents to date and is now looking for more worlds to conquer.

THE newly organized Rugby Team of the 15th Infantry made their initial appearance on January 2 against the team of the Loyal Regiment, North Lancashires. Although decisively defeated by a score of 14 to 3, the American team showed promise of developing into a good Rugby aggregation. Lt. F. B. Butler, C.E. is coach of the 15th Infantry team.

MAJOR WALTER C. GULLION, A.G. D., Capt. F. B. Hayne and Lt. J. E. McCammon, 15th Infantry, were members of a so-called "World Team" which defeated a 12-man golfing team of the British United Services Association at Tientsin on January 3.

THE organizations of the 15th Infantry are organizing Hockey teams and great interest and rivalry is manifested. A skating meet is scheduled for January 28, and a handsome cup will be presented to the winning team by Brig. Gen. Wm. D. Connor, U.S.A.

GOVERNOR APPROVES OF 107TH INF. N.Y.N.G. MATCH

GOVERNOR SMITH of New York has approved the acceptance of a challenge received by Col. Wade H. Hayes, 107th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., from the Queens, Westminster and Civil Service Rifles for a shooting match between the two organizations.

The match will be shot by teams of 8 men on a side at the Bisley Range near London, and although the challenge has not been formally accepted yet, there is little doubt that it will be as soon as all the rules are agreed upon by both regiments.

Upon the formal acceptance of the challenge Governor Smith will make formal application to the State Department for permission to send the team, which is an "armed force," to Great Britain.

The match will be shot during the coming summer. The prize is the Vincent Challenge Shield, won by the British shooters in 1905 and by the 107th N.Y.N.G. (old 7th) in 1908.

FORT SLOCUM FIVE CHAMPIONS

THE basketball team of Fort Slocum, N. Y., has covered itself with glory by winning the Second Corps Area basketball championship. It first defeated the Fort Wadsworth, N. Y., team on February 11 by the score of 29 to 25, and on February 13 the Fort Slocum men defeated the team from Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., by the large margin of 52 to 29. Both of the defeated teams were the champions of Southern and Northern New York, respectively.

NAVY PLEBES VICTORIOUS

THE Naval Academy plebes won from the Georgetown freshmen in a fast game at Annapolis on February 14 by 42 to 19, taking an overwhelming lead in the first half. During the second half, the playing was on much closer terms. With six field goals, Howard led the Navy lads in scoring, Shuber pushing him closely, while Donavin played an excellent game for the visitors.

SET POLO MATCH DATE

THE United States Army and British Army teams will meet in the second series of matches for the international military polo title on June 20, June 24 and June 27, according to an announcement by the Hurlingham Club of London, which fixed the date for the contests. A preliminary match will be played between the U.S. Army and Hurlingham polo teams on June 1.

The first international military championship matches were played at the Meadowbrook Club, Westbury, L. I., in the fall of 1923. The American poloists scored victories in a three-game series. According to report, the British poloists are practicing diligently and hope to turn tables on the American horsemen when they arrive.

THE MILITIA BUREAU

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made by the War Department that approval has been given for the coat of arms for the 25th Field Artillery, New York National Guard. The coat of arms is as follows:

Shield: Gules, two bars gray fimbriated or in chief three mullets of the second (gray) fimbriated of the third (or).

Crest: That for the regiments of the New York National Guard. On a wreath of the colors (or and gules) the full-rigged ship "Half-Moon" all proper.

Motto: Paratus est Fidelis (Ready and Faithful).

This was organized as the 4th Regiment Artillery, New York Militia, in 1809, by the consolidation of ten existing battalions of artillery, one company of which was organized in 1784. Its designation was changed in June, 1812, to the 3rd regiment, New York State Artillery. Under the above designation it served in the Federal Service for short periods during the war of 1812, and in 1847, its designation was changed to the 8th regiment.

It was in the Federal Service as the 8th Regiment Infantry, New York State Militia, during the Civil War from April 23, 1861, to August 2, 1861; from May 29, 1862 to September 9, 1862; and from June 17, 1863 to July 23, 1863. The regiment took part in the Bull Run and Gettysburg campaigns.

The regiment was reduced to a battalion in 1893 and was again expanded to a regiment in 1896. It served in the Federal Service during the Spanish-American war from May to November, 1898, at Peekskill, N. Y., and at Chicamauga Park, Georgia.

The regiment was again reduced to a battalion in 1906 and expanded to a regiment in 1908 when it was organized as Coast Artillery and designated the 8th Artillery District, New York National Guard. Its designation was changed in 1914 to the 8th Coast Defense Command, New York National Guard.

In July, 1917, the 8th Coast Defense Command was taken into the Federal Service for the World War, and its companies assigned to different forts in the Coast Defenses of New York. The 25th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 31st, 32nd and 36th companies were used on January 31, 1918, to make up Supply Company, Batteries B, C, and D, of the 58th Regiment, C.A.C., which served overseas during the World War in a defensive sector in Lorraine. After the war it was disbanded.

The shield is the shield of George Washington modified by reversing the colors and using gray piped with gold instead of silver and giving a red shield for artillery. The arms of the Father of our Country are not to be borne by any organization, and the shield of the regiment is accordingly modified.

The reason for this selection is that it is a tradition that one company of this regiment paraded as an escort to General Washington on the occasion of his inauguration as President, on April 30, 1789, and in commemoration of that event, assumed the name of "Washington Grays" which it has borne to this date. It was then an artillery organization and wore a gray uniform.

HOUSE EULOGIZES KAHN

MEMBERS of both political parties in the House of Representatives joined together at a memorial service held on February 22 in tribute to late Representative Julius S. Kahn, chairman of the House Committee on Military Affairs. Representative Kahn died in California in December. The eulogies referred to his patriotism and ability. Representatives Garrett of Tennessee, the Democratic leader, and McKenzie of Illinois made the leading laudatory addresses. Others who eulogized the deceased Congressman were Byrns, of Tennessee, Quin of Mississippi, Sherwood of Ohio, Sabath of Illinois and Baker of California, Democrats; Hill of Maryland, Miller of Washington, Free, Swing, Lineberger and MacLafferty, of California, Republicans.

NAVY FENCERS WIN

IN a match in which foils, sabres and epee, or duelling swords were employed, the Naval Academy, last year's intercollegiate champions, won from Syracuse at Annapolis on February 14—14 bouts to 3. The midshipmen made a clean sweep with the foils, but the visitors made a good showing with duelling swords and sabres.

With the foils, Stubbs and McDill, of the Navy, fenced with particular brilliancy, while Paltz was the only one of the visitors to prove himself a worthy contender.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

ADJUTANTS GENERAL of the several states, approximately 45 strong, will meet in Washington, D. C., from March 5 to 10, 1925, for their school of instruction. Committee organization questions will be left to the committee themselves for solution. Each will be subdivided for the purpose of facilitating work and the recommendations which will be submitted will be based upon the opinions of a majority of the entire committee. In the event of a difference of opinion, similar reports from the minority members will be rendered.

Following are the committee assignments of the six committees:

Committee on Personnel: Maj. Gen. B. H. Markham, Brig. Gen. H. L. McAllister, J. A. Kehoe, J. Van B. Metts, Ralph M. Immell, Col. C. T. Green, H. T. Johnson, Lt. Col. W. F. Davis, Col. H. G. Learnard, Lt. Col. J. M. Kimbrough, Jr., and Maj. A. Bonne.

Committee on Finance and Supply: Brig. Gen. C. E. Black, R. Neill, Rahn, James W. Hanson, Frank D. Beary, Mark McGee, Col. John S. Bersey, G. A. Fraser, Lt. Col. W. G. Williams, Wm. N. Haskell, Col. M. S. Jarvis and Major L. C. Grieves.

Committee on Planning: Brig. Gen. H. A. Moon, L. A. Toombs, M. A. Beckord, J. F. Stevens, M. Thompson, E. J. Westcott, Col. W. A. Hazle, Lt. Col. Charles W. Harris, Col. F. A. Wolf, Wm. H. Oury, and Major J. W. Hyatt.

Committee on Organization: Brig. Gen. G. M. Cole, J. Clifford R. Foster, L. G. Lasher, G. A. White, W. W. Sale, Col. P. P. Newton, H. J. Paul, J. M. Rogers, J. O'Shea, E. A. Sirmey, and Lt. Col. W. P. Coleman.

Committee on Training: Brig. Gen. W. H. Kershner, F. D. Henderson, J. J. Richards, Col. R. E. Mittlestaedt, L. M. Brett, Charles H. Cox, F. M. Rumbold, C. W. Howard, F. B. Shaw, T. W. Hammond, A. J. McNab, and Lt. Col. Roger S. Fitch.

Committee on Administration: Brig. Gen. M. G. McConnell, W. F. Rhinow, Robert E. Craig, W. C. Boyd, Col. E. H. Williams, Lt. Col. J. Austin Ellison, Maj. H. B. Cornwell, Capt. R. L. Thornton, Col. H. A. Allen, and Col. Ola W. Bell.

"UNDER the present organization of the War Department, the Adjutant General's Office, in addition to being the custodian under the Secretary of War, of all the records of former soldiers, is an operating agency of the General Staff and also, in some respects, a co-ordinating section thereof," said Major General Robert C. Davis, the Adjutant General of the Army in an address before the Reserve Officers' Association of the District of Columbia.

"The World War division is located at 'E' building, Washington, D. C., which contains all the military records of organizations and individuals for the period from 1912 to 1919, about 160,000,000 individual pieces of records in all. This division is a very active one and handles approximately three thousand communications a day concerning all kinds of questions about individuals, and organizations of the World War.

DESIGNATE CANDIDATES FOR MILITARY ACADEMY

THE following-named candidates have been designated during the past week for the Military Academy entrance examination to be held beginning on March 3, 1925, with a view to admission to the Academy on July 1, 1925:

Alabama, John Louis Edmund Collier; California, A. G. Viney, M. A. Logan, L. Bartlett, Jr., D. G. Dwyre, E. A. Fairbairn, D. S. Browne; Florida, C. C. W. Allan, N. Cladakis, W. Wm. Johnson, R. E. Cotton, D. P. Williams, Wm. H. Dial, F. P. Dearing; Georgia, J. W. Harvey, Jr., F. Leroy Miles, L. Willard Hodges, M. Eugene Harrison; Illinois, M. E. Robbins, E. Drzymalski, J. G. Murphy; Iowa, G. A. Zika, Jr.; Kansas, M. A. Bradley, R. G. Crandall; Maryland, L. J. Israel; Massachusetts, E. J. Hey; Michigan, L. R. H. Zecman; Minnesota, A. F. Himmler, H. G. Wild, J. N. Stone, N. E. Eliason; Missouri, C. H. Buttrick, Jr.; Nebraska, C. Lennahan; New Hampshire, C. G. Hall.

New York, E. J. Burns, E. V. O'Sullivan, J. P. Devery, M. Frederickson; North Carolina, P. H. Atkinson, O. Ayscue, W. J. Moore; North Dakota, R. C. Erickson, D. J. Taylor, V. A. Fleeten; Ohio, R. W. Ward, W. G. Sent, E. B. Meyer, Jr., F. Parnell, A. D. Brown, L. D. Brown, P. W. Miller; Texas, G. T. Bogan, Jr., C. N. Harrison; Wisconsin, J. A. Tappin.

U. S. A. L., C. P. Babcock, to take examination on competitive basis.

National Guard: New York, Wm. M. Stevenson, E. D. Leroy, J. Francis Donahue, Jr., G. C. Gould, E. V. Kolbie; South Dakota, C. W. Sheets, J. E. Foreshaw; Wyoming, A. L. Bettis.

"The Selective Service Division at Washington Barracks contains the draft records of 24,000,000 men and 5000 draft boards. Its communications average about 500 a day, mostly concerning data for naturalization, date of induction and many questions for the courts, as a great part of these records are public records.

"The Officers' Division handles everything which relates to the individual officer of the Regular Army. This includes cadets at the military academy, the appointment, assignment, promotion, detail, classification, death, or anything else that may happen to an individual officer.

"The Enlisted Division handles everything concerning the individual enlisted man of the Regular Army, his recruitment, assignment, promotion, death, discharge the Disciplinary Barracks, etc. This division handles about a thousand communications a day, and keeps the records of all enlisted men who entered the service since March, 1919.

"The Reserve Division, which is charged with the administration of Reserve officer affairs, handles about one thousand communications a day, but in addition its record work is very heavy, as there are 83,000 officers and 3500 enlisted men in the Reserve.

"The personnel of the Regulars and the Reserve is handled under the policies established by the General Staff.

"The selection of students and instructors at the War College and General Service Schools is made by the Adjutant General with the concurrence of G-1 and the approval of the deputy chief of staff. All matters relating to general officers are handled personally by the Adjutant General with the deputy chief of staff.

"In addition to the above mentioned divisions, there is a miscellaneous division, publication division, the executive division, an information section, and the national bonus for the veterans of the World War is being administered under the personal supervision of General Davis through the Adjusted Compensation Branch which was organized by him.

"Over 2,000,000 communications a year are handled by the Adjutant General's Office, and during the year ending June 30, 1924, this office received 3,669,537 pieces of mail. Handling this voluminous amount of work are 29 officers on duty in the office, a clerical force of 792 and a sub-clerical force of 100.

"Reserve Adjutant Generals of field grade have this year been assigned for tours of duty at the nearest Corps Area Adjutants General offices and also to duty in the main office of the Adjutant General. The junior Reserve officers of the Department are assigned to camps and organizations."

ARMY RELIEF SOCIETY OF D. C. MAKES 1925 PLANS

AN informal meeting of Branch No. 2, Army Relief Society, was held recently in Washington, D. C., to formulate the plans of the work for the year.

Mrs. Walter S. Finley, president of the branch, told of some interesting cases she had reported to the relief committee where immediate and effective help had been given. Also of children here whose education is being sponsored by the education committee.

If more of the good work of the society could be known it would have a strong appeal. Those familiar with the organization claim it has been the policy of the society to give its cases no publicity, so that those being helped need feel no embarrassment.

It is the desire of Branch No. 2 to enroll among its members every officer and member of his family stationed in Washington. Officers stationed here are separated from the unit to which they belong, and from their section of the Army Relief, were they members of one. All officers are urged not to neglect to pay their dues to the Army Relief Society, for to membership dues, more than to any other source of contribution, does the society look for funds to enable it to carry on its work. The dues, a dollar a year per person, may be paid to Mrs. Hugh A. Drum, 2141 Wyoming avenue, N. W., secretary and treasurer, Branch No. 2.

RESERVE OFFICERS

A GROUP of the Regular, National Guard and Reserve Chaplains of the Second Corps Area met General Summerall at lunch at the Army and Navy Club in New York on Friday, February 20.

General Summerall, who is a very sympathetic friend of the chaplains and their work, made an address indicating his hopes and plans for the service of the chaplains in the Second Corps Area. Following the luncheon the Chaplains held a conference discussing their general work and interests and especially their experiences and plans relative to the C.M.T.C. and the O.R.C. camps for the coming summer.

Among those present were Chaplains John J. Allan, R. W. Baxter, William Carter, J. C. Caton, Willis T. Howard, Frank M. Kerr, Jasper P. McComas, S. C. Ramsden, George Rittenhouse, George H. Scofield, Herbert Shipman, Thomas E. Swan, George P. Dougherty, Guy H. Madara, Earl H. Wild, W. Fletcher Daum, George C. Lenington, Charles W. Gulick, Joseph W. Cochran Lawrence R. Kelly and Charles S. Macfarland.

EIGHTY members and friends of the Berkshire County Reserve Officers' Association assembled at the Hotel Wendell, in Pittsfield, Mass., on February 17, in honor of Gen. John Ross Delafield. General Delafield, in his address, stated that the adequate defense of the country is vitally dependent upon capricious and all-powerful popular sentiment. Peaceful little Switzerland, he stated, is at all times prepared to enter the field with an army larger than that of the United States at the present time, and the Swiss people may be said to have no potential enemies. Popular sentiment must be aroused, or its equanimity may be shattered by sudden devastation and ruin.

The other speakers were Comdr. Charles Hodecker, of the Pittsfield Post of the American Legion; Col. F. E. Buchan, Chief of Staff of the 11th Corps, and Maj. K. F. Baldwin, General Staff, War Department.

GENERAL KING HONORED BY MILWAUKEE JUDGE

BRIG. GEN. CHARLES KING, who recently celebrated his 80th birthday, has been the recipient of numerous tributes from those associated with him in his work with the National Guard of Wisconsin as well as from the Inspector General and the Chief of Infantry. General King is the only officer to whom Service Medals for four wars—the Civil War, Indian War, Spanish War, World War and the Philippine Insurrection—have been awarded, according to the Inspector General.

At the meeting of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Wisconsin Commandery, on February 12, of which General King is the commander, Municipal Judge A. C. Backus of Milwaukee paid a high tribute to the General.

He said in part:

"One of the reasons that makes it a very genuine pleasure to address this gathering is the opportunity it affords for saying a word concerning my friend, General King, a scion of a family distinguished in the annals of our country for generations; living up, in his private and public life, to the fine traditions of that family; a graduate of the great national school which fitted him for the calling he adorns, and whose high standards he has so splendidly maintained; a gallant and distinguished officer in the old Army; a patient, zealous and efficient builder of the National Guard and of the newer Army of today; an author whose stories have brought genuine and wholesome pleasure to thousands of his countrymen, and now in his elder years devoting much of his time and energy to training our boys of today along the excellent lines which he himself has followed; a sturdy, upstanding, honorable citizen and courteous gentleman, we honor, admire and respect General King."

ANIMAL MORTALITY

ACCORDING to the animal morbidity and mortality reports compiled by the Veterinary Service of the Medical Department, as of December 31, 1924, out of a total animal strength of 42,459 there were 122 deaths or an animal rate per thousand of 34.96 per cent.

A geographical distribution of deaths shows that the greatest mortality occurred at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and Fort Sill, Oklahoma, at which stations the deaths of ten animals were reported for each post.

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IN DEFENSE OF MR. WEEKS

FOR those who know the facts of Mr. Weeks' administration of the War Department it seems absurd to talk of defending him. However, those who know how easy it is for false statements without a shadow of fact to support them, to gain credence throughout the country, the recent attacks made upon the Secretary by an editorial writer with a nation wide reputation and audience, cannot be allowed to go unanswered. In commenting upon the investigation of the aeronautical situation in this country by a committee of Congress this writer has seen fit to allege that our failure to be better equipped aeronautically is due to deficiencies on the part of Mr. Weeks.

Those who have worked with Mr. Weeks during his service as Secretary of War, and those who have carefully followed his administration of the War Department, know such an accusation to be the most arrant nonsense. However, such intimate association is not necessary. Even a most casual reading of his annual reports demonstrates not only the broad vision of the needs of National Defense as a whole, which he possesses, but also his capacity, for the absorption of detail and the recognition of their relative importance.

Furthermore, each report is a continuation of the previous year's report, because from the beginning Mr. Weeks has had in his mind the necessity not only to have a definite plan but to follow it year after year. He not only has administered the War Department in accordance with this principle, but has pointed out again and again to Congress the necessity to make their appropriations conform to this system. It is not Mr. Weeks but Congress which decides how much of the money appropriated for the War Department will be spent in each of the activities of that department. Congress even goes a step farther, in that it frequently parcels out appropriations in great detail, so that little, if any, leeway is left to the department in spending them.

Mr. Weeks, like every other capable administrator, relies largely upon the advice of his subordinates. The money appropriated by Congress for the Air Service has been spent each year primarily, and

probably entirely, in accordance with the views expressed by the Chief and Assistant Chief of the Air Service. If the real needs of the Air Service have not been met it is not the fault of Mr. Weeks but of Congress for failing to appropriate sufficient funds to meet the demands of the Air Service. If there is any difference of opinion as to whether or not the money appropriated for the Air Service was spent to the best advantage then it is because there is a difference of opinion amongst the Chiefs of the Service itself. This for the reason that its chiefs, through their recommendations to the General Staff and to Mr. Weeks as to what is needed, are the determining factors as to policies and expenditures.

LEAKS, FOCUSING PUBLIC EYE ON DEFENSE NEEDS, MAY PROVE BENEFICIAL

THE leaks purporting to give the gist of the testimony of Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, Chief of Staff of the Army, and Rear Admiral Hilary P. Jones, member of the General Board of the Navy, before the Congressional committee investigating aeronautics were the basis of a nation wide press sensation. Though unfair to both these officers and the Departments which they represent this reaction will be of value if it wakes the country up to our National Defense deficiencies. While the session was an executive one, and, therefore, the officers of the Army and Navy who were present could not talk afterwards, the daily papers seemed to have discovered plenty of leaks, apparently, from members of the committee.

Possibly some confidential data not ordinarily disclosed was given to the committee. However, the main facts with respect to the deficiencies of National Defense are not confidential. As a matter of fact, they have been repeatedly published in the hearings of the Military and Naval Committees of the Senate and House, the annual reports of the Secretaries of War and Navy, and of their subordinates and in the daily press.

Apparently when put out in such prosaic fashion they are not worthy of credence, but when allowed out as leaks and used as the basis of an unfair attack, they constitute news of the highest importance. The public has to be excused. Newspapers have to publish what purports to be the news of the day. While a Congressman cannot read all the hearings of every committee, there is no excuse for him indulging in an attack upon the General Staff of the Army or the General Board of the Navy, or any member of either, before taking the trouble to acquaint himself with the readily ascertainable facts.

The majority of the officers of the War and Navy departments are strong believers in the Budget System. It is, therefore, all the more unfair, where the activities of these departments are limited as the result of this system, to charge them with a failure to recognize the needs of National Defense because they have not taken steps which are impossible under the allotments made them. It is particularly absurd and unjust for any Congressman to make such a claim, as he cannot pretend ignorance of the Budget and the limitations which it imposes.

If insufficient money has been spent on National Defense the responsibility clearly rests with Congress, and not with the War or Navy Departments, who no matter what their needs cannot possibly spend more than that body allots them.

This is all the more true when these departments, as is the case, have repeatedly and earnestly over a period of years called their attention to the deficiencies which exist.

VOICE OF THE SERVICES

PROMOTION BY SELECTION

TO THE EDITOR:

PLEASE give us all you can in your columns as to promotion by selection. I do not believe that a workable scheme has been proposed to date and as the trend seems to be toward promotion by selection, the great majority of officers are doomed to suffer keen disappointment and, if there be such a thing, justified jealousy, unless a fool-proof plan can be worked out. Off-hand it strikes me that advancement on the promotion list, rather than outright promotion, would be a better basis on which to build.

CAPT., CAVALRY.

PATRIOTISM ALIVE

TO THE EDITOR:

I ENCLOSE herewith a piece of "poetry" I composed by inspiration (time four minutes) after seeing D. W. Griffith's "America," which followed a period of pacifist movements in various churches. It would have tickled the heart of any patriot to have heard the youngsters with which the house was packed cheer when they saw "Old Glory" brought to victory or even at sight of an American soldier on the screen.

A soldier—a gun,
A flag and a drum
And the fighting spirit's aroused.
Hep! hep! We're all there yet,
In spite of all Peace Propaganda.

Who is there that wouldn't care,
Whether it is Jap or Greek,
Or maybe Chinamen perhaps
That would rule this country great;
And for liberty's sake
I SAY—We're all there yet.

Peace is all right
And for peace we'll fight;
But its War—cruel War I say,
If Chinamen or Jap
Will tell us to do that,
Yes sir, we're all there yet.

And as long as she waves,
Our flag who has saved
The country—the land of the free.
I say Peace is all right,
But I'd sure rather fight
I say—rather than take orders from a Jap.

And again I'll aver,
Yes, sure we're all there,
Every mother's son, you bet.
A soldier—A gun,
A flag and a drum
And the fighting spirit's aroused.

JULIUS COHN,
Staff Sergeant, Retired.

ASKS RECOGNITION OF RANK

TO THE EDITOR:

I AM loathe to make the following complaint. However, at the present time, when the enemies of national defense are so rampant, it seems to me everything should be done to make its friends feel the maximum confidence and trust in and liking for each other.

I do not want to appear over-tough, but as I have had the same experience several times and others have told me they also have had it, feel that I am not unduly immodest, nor asking something to which I am not entitled. On several occasions, when introduced to naval officers as Colonel, they have called me "Mister," and introduced me to others as "Mister," such pronounced emphasis on the "Mister" that I could not escape the impression that they did not recognize my right to be called Colonel.

I commanded a battalion of infantry in a combat division in France and participated in all its engagements. I today hold a commission as a Colonel of Infantry in the Organized Reserve. If we have another war I expect again to risk life and limb as an infantry officer on the battlefields of this country.

About the only thing a Reserve officer gets out of his commission is the satisfaction of having performed his duty, in preparing for war in time of peace and in risking his life in time of war. As under our laws he holds a commission as an officer, as in time of war he exercises command in battle, which, after all, is the primary purpose of having officers, is he not clearly entitled to being addressed by his rank, even though he may not be in the Regular Service?

COLONEL, O. R. C.,
U. S. Army.

M. O. W. W. MEMBERSHIP APPEAL

THE following will no doubt interest actual and perpetual M.O.W.W. members. It is a letter sent to the commander of the N. Y. Chapter.

"Very reluctantly I have again con-

sented to assume the chairmanship of the committee on '100,000 Members Before 1930,' tendered me by the General Staff, and have its authority and National Headquarters to augment this committee by requesting each Chapter Commander to appoint five (5) members from his Chapter to make up this committee personnel.

"Therefore, I request and desire as speedy a reply as possible sent me direct (a duplicate also to be sent National Headquarters) naming five (5) members of your Chapter to act in the capacity as indicated above. These officers should be carefully chosen and be of the calibre to 'carry through' this drive to a successful conclusion within the Chapter's area.

"There is now being prepared an Appeal Circular for increased membership activities, which will be sent direct to every member of the Order, accompanied by three application blanks, a circular 'Why Eligible Officers Should Join the Military Order of the World War' and lapel ribbon. Thus the committee to be appointed by you will have in his possession such material for their increased membership activities, and your committee may devise such ways and means as to give the proper impetus to the general program.

"Possibly this committee within your Chapter may be able to function as the nucleus for an organized drive, but of course I would not attempt to indicate how it should meet your local situation. All I ask is co-operation on the part of yourself, your Chapter members and the committee which you will appoint.

"The Chairmanship of this important committee on '100,000 Members Before 1930' is not a one man job, and the success of this drive will depend vitally upon the co-operation from the various Chapters and those directly interested.

"It really is a very simple matter for each member to obtain one, two or three new members, which will, as you can appreciate, advance our numerical strength mightily within a short time.

"May I trust that you will, as Commander of your Chapter, take this letter as a very personal appeal for your co-operation through the medium of the committee to be appointed and individual members of your Chapter. The drive can be made an outstanding success if the spirit as indicated in the Order's Preamble will assert itself in the heart of all Chapter officers and members.

Kindly advise me early as possible of the members appointed by you on the committee, with their addresses and who decided on as chairman.

T. J. COWIE, Rear Adm.
(S.C.) U.S.N. Ret.,
Chairman, Committee on '100,000 Members Before 1930.'

DECORATION TRUSTS

TO THE EDITOR:

I BEG leave to invite the cooperation of your family and friends, as Founders in establishing the within partially described "National Decoration Trust Committee" or the system of "Decoration Trusts," especially in connection with Arlington and other National Cemeteries, or any local private Cemeteries where any Veterans are interred in the U. S.

It is because there are no Boards of Directors of National Cemeteries, nor any Government Department authorized to accept such Trusts, therefore some such system as within described, is desirable for the perpetual Decoration indicated.

The fact is, I am desirous of establishing such "Decoration Trusts" for the Lot in Arlington where lies my wife; and for the adjoining Lot where my son, the late Lt. E. J. Bloom, 4th U.S. Inf., is interred. Therefore, in order to ensure the "Carrying On" for all time, the Decoration thereof on Decoration Day, so that they will not lie neglected, when neighboring Lots are being decorated, I am thus seeking others who may be similarly situated, to join in doing likewise.

Discuss this with whom you please. Invite other to join among the first organizers or founders. It is essential to find at least fifty prior to January 1, 1926. If you do not wish to establish a "Decoration Trust" now, yet you can join as a member or founder.

It is proposed to form "Founders Committees," especially at Washington for Arlington; and at San Francisco for Presidio National Cemetery, and at New York for West Point National Cemetery and also for local private Cemeteries.

J. E. BLOOM,
Major, U.S.A., Retired.

261 Broadway, New York city.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Questions having to do with military or naval matters will be answered in this department as soon as possible after their receipt. Communications must in all cases be signed, giving the correct name and address of the inquirer. A self-addressed stamped envelope must be enclosed if a personal reply is desired.

R. C. WASHINGTON, D. C.—Q. Having lost my Victory Medal, I would like to know how I would apply for a duplicate?

A. Application for lost Victory Medal can be secured from the Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D. C. After this has been filled out and sworn to forward same to the Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D. C.

MASTER SGT. J. F. McC., D.E.M.L., CINCINNATI, OHIO.—Q. What date did Company "A," 10th Infantry, arrive in the P. I. during the year 1901?

A. May 12, 1901.

STAFF SGT. FORT JAY.—Q. On what date did Company "K," 11th Infantry, depart from Fort Rios for the United States?

A. They sailed from Porto Rico November 30, 1900, and arrived in the United States December 5, 1901.

T. G. B., JR., CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—Q. Will you kindly advise me of the present location of Col. George Michael Holley?

A. A Lt. Col. George M. Holley, A.G.D., is according to the latest Army List and Directory, stationed at headquarters, 9th Corps Area, San Francisco, Calif.

CAPTAIN, INFANTRY, (D.O.L.), NATICK, MASS.—Q. Is an officer or non-commissioned officer who is on a National Guard detail and necessarily living in one of the towns of the State subject to all the taxes of the State and town? Is an officer, who is on a National Guard detail and stationed in a town in Massachusetts and an occupant of a house therein, liable to tax by the town authorities for sewerage and personal tax on an automobile owned by him.

A. That the mere fact that he is a member of the United States Army furnishes no exemption from local taxation, as others are taxed upon private property that is not required primarily for use in the due exercise of his office and military duties, and that, in the opinion of THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, no exemption can be claimed in respect of the sewerage and automobile tax.

While the question of poll tax is not so free from difficulty, yet, if there has been the requisite period of actual residence, it is thought to be impossible, although, upon non-payment, the State could not resort to measures that would deprive the United States of the officer's services. For official reply, suggest that the question be submitted to the Judge Advocate General of the Army.

PVT. W. C. W., Q.M.C., FORT McPHERSON, GA.—Q. Information is desired whether Pvt. W. C. W. and Sgt. A. M. O'D., Quartermaster Corps, are on the eligible list for staff sergeant, Q.M.C.?

A. Both of the above named men are on the eligible list. See ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, issue of January 10, 1925, page 1727, last paragraph of column 3 and the second paragraph, column 4.

G. A. F., KANSAS CITY, MO.—Q. Who is entitled to the insurance under the Adjusted Compensation Act? Does this include retired officers of the Army or the Navy?

A. The form containing the printed instructions relative to applying for adjusted compensation, will be used by all veterans, regardless of the branch of service in which they served. Suggest that you secure application blank for this compensation from nearest postoffice, and fill out same in accordance with the instructions printed thereon.

J. V. J., FORT MOULTRIE, S. C.—This is a matter between yourself and company commander.

J. W. B., NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Q. I am desirous of obtaining a book on military drill regulations that will assist me in preparing for an examination which I will take in the very near future. If you know of any such book which will be of assistance to me, kindly advise me the price of same and to whom I should write to secure a copy?

A. Suggest that you write to the Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., for a copy of Training Regulations 420-50, which will cost ten cents. In this regulation is included the drill of the squad, platoon and the company.

SGT. J. M. G., DEM., FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.—Q. I re-enlisted at Fort Flagler, Washington, December 13, 1916, was discharged August 7, 1917, to accept a commission in the Arkansas National Guard. Was discharged at Camp Pike, Arkansas, as 1st Lieutenant, Infantry, on June 10, 1919. Was paid travel allowance to my home (Fayetteville, Ark.). Was I entitled to travel allowance to place of enlistment? If so, can I make claim at this late date for difference?

A. Your two questions are answered in the affirmative. Suggest that you file your claim with the General Accounting Office, Claims Division, Washington, D. C.

SGT. E. B., RETIRED, LOS ANGELES, CALIF.—A retired soldier is not exempt from local tax laws.

J.F., CAMP MEADE, MARYLAND.—Q. What date did the 2nd battalion of the 13th U.S. Infantry arrive in the U.S. from their tour of foreign service in the Philippines during the year 1907?

A. This organization left the P.I. October 3, 1907, and arrived in the U.S. October 30, 1907.

WITH THE CONGRESS

The following executive nominations were received by the Senate on February 18:

Promotions in the Navy—To be commanders: George W. Simpson and Alexander M. Charlton; to be lieutenant commanders: George B. Wilson and Charles E. Rosendahl; to be lieutenant commanders on the retired list: Richard E. Byrd, Jr.

To be lieutenants: Frank Stinchcomb, Robert S. Savin, William E. Smith, Frederick Strothe, Frank Leghorn, Andrew M. Parks, Claude Farmer, Leon W. Mills, Frank W. Rasch, Edward G. Evans, Thomas T. Hassell, John O. Jenkins, Earle C. Peterson, Francis E. Matthews, Joseph W. McColl, Jr., Ira D. Spoonmore, Charles R. Hoffecker, Henry L. Burmann, Arthur P. Spencer, John S. Hawkins, Charles S. East, Reuben F. Davis and William C. Betzer.

To be lieutenant (junior grade): Jefferson D. Beard.

To be assistant surgeon, with the rank of lieutenant (junior grade): Carl M. Dumbauld; To be pay director, with the rank of captain: McGill R. Goldsborough; To be chief boatswains, to rank with but after ensign: William F. Ahrens, Edwin J. Hill.

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To be chief gunners, to rank with but after ensign: William H. Moore, Edward J. Kreuger, Walter J. Love and Herman Vollmer.

To be chief machinists, to rank with but after ensign: Stephen D. Thornton, Alfred Ward, Frank P. Moore, Asa M. Gainer, William J. Brennan, George Rahm.

To be chief carpenters, to rank with but after ensign: William H. Buchanan, Garrett P. Fitzmaurice, William F. Leahy, Benjamin Meyer, Daniel McLeod, Harold E. Landre.

To be chief pay clerk, to rank with but after ensign: Murray D. Kiny.

Marine Corps—To be second lieutenants: Milo R. Carroll, Floyd A. Stephenson, Homer L. Litzberg, Jr., Wilbur B. Brown, Samuel S. Baintline, Theodore B. Millard, David K. Claude, Albert L. Gardner, James P. S. Devereux and Robert C. Orrison.

The following Executive nominations were made in the Senate on February 23:

Appointments in the Regular Army. To be major of Infantry: Thomas James Camp, late major of Infantry, Regular Army, with rank from February 2, 1925.

Medical Corps. To be first lieutenant: Capt. Paul Ashland Bricker, Medical O.R.C., with rank from February 13, 1925.

Appointments by transfer in the Regular Army, Quartermaster Corps: Capt. Holmes Gill Paulin, Cav., with rank from July 1, 1920.

Chemical Warfare Service: Maj. Frederick Ramon Garcia, C.A.C., with rank from July 1, 1920.

Field Artillery: Capt. Joseph Robbins Bibb, Inf., with rank from July 1, 1920.

Promotions in the Regular Army. To be lieutenant colonel: Maj. Walter King Wilson, C.A.C., from February 15, 1925.

To be majors: Capt. Hubert Belly Harmon, Air Service, from February 14, 1925; Benjamin Greeley Ferris, Inf., from February 15, 1925.

To be captains: First Lts. Alston Bertram Ames, Q.M.C., from February 10, 1925; Stephen Carson Whipple, C. of E., from February 11, 1925; Harry Franklin Gardner, Q.M.C., from February 12, 1925; Charles Jacob Kinder, Q.M.C., from February 14, 1925; John Nelson Merrill, Cav., from February 14, 1925; Theodore Anton Baumeister, Inf., from February 15, 1925; Charles Jerrold Morelle, Q.M.C., from February 15, 1925; Ellis Donald Weigle, C.A.C., from February 16, 1925.

The second volume of the Mesopotamian Campaign, 1914 to 1918, issued by H. M. Stationer's Office, marks another addition to the British official history of the Great War. It was compiled at the request of the Government of India, under the direction of the historical section of the Committee of Imperial Defense, by Brig. Gen. F. J. Moberly. While based on official documents, the author points out that practically all official records of the force in Kut dealing with the operations in Ctesiphon, the subsequent retreat and the siege, were destroyed before the surrender. The consequence was that he had to rely, to a great extent, upon private accounts and the assistance of many officer participants in these events.

As the author points out the volume is mainly a recital of a series of British misfortunes, and in many other respects the operations differ from those of earlier days. The enemy's fighting forces were more, and those of the British less efficient. The respective armament and equipment were somewhat improved, but generally speaking, those of the British, though often inadequate, were superior. The long and imperfect lines of communication were a constant source of difficulty to both sides.

The book is well illustrated. Excellent maps, show the operations in general and the different combats, they are scattered through the text and also contained in a case in the back cover. The various appendices are complete and afford that detailed information which is of such great value to a military student. The book is well printed in clear type, and, as is generally the case with British books, of light weight for its size.

Memoirs of the Harvard Dead in the War Against Germany. By M. A. DeWolfe Howe and others.

In the spring of 1924, Secretary of War Weeks, writing for one of the college student daily papers concerning the value of the R.O.T.C. for the future, said:

"The Government naturally looks to its uni-

versities and colleges to lead the way. College men, because as a class they receive most from their country, are expected to assume the leadership for which they have been trained in all movements for the nation's advancement."

The series of volumes of which this is the last to be issued from the press, records the services of the young men of Harvard who gave their lives for the principle for which this nation was required to fight. It records therefore the brief and necessarily terminated activities of young men who represent the best service given the country, the young men on whom our country can count because they come of people on whom the country has counted.

For instance, here is the memoir of the grandson of Lincoln's Secretary of War; here is the grandson of a Secretary of War and great-grandson of a Pennsylvania Senator; here is a youth connected with the family of a man who served as Secretary of War to George Washington for five years of the Revolution; here is the son of an Army colonel and the grandson of an Admiral in the Navy. The tradition of public service rested deep in the hearts of these Harvard men. The character of the service they gave is amply testified to by the fact that Distinguished Service Cross citations run like a succession of salutes from page to page and memoir to memoir.

Possibly the most interesting memoir in this volume is the very attractive and human biography of Robert M. Johnston, Professor of History at Harvard, major in charge of the Historical Section of the A.E.F., a deep student and an interesting writer on military history, author of excellent handbooks on "Napoleon" and on "The French Revolution," and with Col. A. L. Conger, co-editor of The Military Historian and Economist. He is a man to whom the American Army owes much; it would be a pious deed for some special Service journal to reprint this memoir for the benefit of the military establishment.

This message is submitted for the purpose of correcting errors in dates of rank of nominees, caused by the approval by the President January 27, 1925, of an act of Congress authorizing the appointment as major of Infantry of Thomas James Camp to fill the next vacancy occurring in that grade. The next vacancy subsequent to the approval of the bill occurred February 2, 1925, and Captain Reed was nominated to fill the vacancy occurring on that date.

The following bills were pending in the Senate from February 18 to February 24, inclusive:

H. J. RES. 115—Approving the action of the Secretary of War in directing the issuance of quartermaster stores for the relief of sufferers from the cyclone at Lagrange, and at West Point, Ga., and vicinity, March, 1920.

S. 1807—To provide for the creation, organization, administration and maintenance of a Naval Reserve and a Marine Corps Reserve.

H. R. 5261—Providing for the restoration of Fort McHenry, Baltimore, birthplace of the "Star-Spangled Banner," for the appropriation of necessary funds, and for other purposes.

H. R. 11355—Authorizing the Secretary of War to convey by revocable lease to the city of Springfield, Mass., a certain parcel of land within the Springfield Military Armory Reservation, Massachusetts.

H. R. 11921—To authorize the permanent appointment of any acting chaplain in the Navy to the temporary grade and rank in the Navy held by him during the World War.

H. R. 10472—To provide for the restoration of the Old Fort Vancouver Stockade.

The following bills were pending in the House from February 18 to February 24, inclusive:

S. 3400—For the purchase of a tract of land adjoining the militia target range at Auburn, Me.

S. 3408—To amend an Act entitled "An Act to give indemnity for damages caused by American forces abroad," approved April 18, 1918, and for other purposes.

H. R. 12307—Extending the appreciation of Congress and providing an appropriate medal to governors, adjutants general, members of local and district boards, and medical and legal advisory boards, and Government appeal agents who served as members of the selective service system during the World War in the building of the Nation's Armies.

LEGAL DEPARTMENT

BY SAMUEL T. ANSELL

The following Digest of Comptroller General's decisions are announced:

The evidence shows that the mother, a widow, fifty-seven years of age, in good health, owns a house valued by her at \$3,000, unincumbered, and securities valued at \$5,000; keeps house for herself and single daughter, who is a school teacher earning \$150 per month. It is averred by the mother, that her daughter gives her \$50 per month for board and room; that her property yields her an income of over \$45 a month; and that her monthly living expenses are \$150. It is thus seen that the mother is maintaining the home for herself and daughter and has an income of over \$95 per month, independently of the contributions of her officer son. It must be held that there was no necessity for contributions of her officer son in excess of one-half of her reasonable living expenses, and that she was not necessarily dependent on him for her chief support within the meaning of the act of June 10, 1922. (Davis' case, Jan. 26, 1925.)

Where the mother's property, if invested in a financially secured system of insured income, such annual income would amount to \$71.66 per month, to which there should be added her teacher's annuity of about \$22 per month, making a total possible income of \$93.66. It is obvious that the mother with such possible income payable during each month for the remainder of her life is not dependent upon her officer son for her chief support within the meaning of the act of June 10, 1922, 42 Stat. 627. (O'Donnell's case, Jan. 26, 1925.)

Where it appears that during the periods in question a mother was possessed of property the value of which exceeded \$11,000 from which she received an income of \$95.00 per month, and that she filed a Federal income tax return, judged on the basis of a reasonable standard of living for a mother so circumstanced, it must be held that she was in receipt of an independent income in excess of one-half of her necessary living cost. A mother possessed of an independent income, sufficient, if applied exclusively to such use, to provide her chief support, is not dependent upon her officer son within the meaning of the law so as to entitle him to a dependency allowance. (Glover's case, Jan. 29, 1925.)

Upon application of claimant father (there is before this office for decision the claim of Joseph David Thornton, dated December 3, 1923, under the act of June 4, 1920, 41 Stat. 824) for six months' pay gratuity on account of the death of his son, Dan Bradley Thornton, late yeoman, 3rd class, U. S. Navy, who died in line of duty, and not due to his own misconduct, it was held: The beneficiary slip executed and sworn to by the decedent, October 3, 1922, shows that he was not married, and he designated as his beneficiary under the said act as dependent relative, his mother, Minnie (Bryan) Thornton, and in the event of her death, he designated as his beneficiary his father, Joseph David Thornton.

The affidavit of two disinterested persons states that Mrs. Minnie Thornton died at Macon, Georgia, on November 28, 1922. The claimant avers in his affidavit of March 3, 1924, that he was partially dependent upon the contributions of his son for his support; that for the last several years he was unable to do any labor on account of chronic kidney trouble and bad health; that prior to the death of his wife, who died on November 28, 1922, their son made contributions to his mother; that after the death of his mother his son contributed to his support, and during the six months preceding the time he was taken to the hospital in his last illness, he contributed to the claimant's support the sum of \$155. The claimant also stated that he relied upon his son Dan more than upon any of his children for support, because the former had no other dependents. In his application, dated December 3, 1923, he states his age as 63 years.

It has been held that the dependency of a widow or unmarried minor child (or children) may be presumed, but in cases involving some "other dependent relative" previously designated no such presumption exists and the condition of dependency in the case of near relatives such as mother, father, brother or sister, must be established by a reasonable showing of existing or possible future need at time of designation, and in the event of death in the service by a showing of verified facts indicating that of periodical assistance from the deceased in keeping with his income from all sources. (40 M.S. Comp. Gen. 960, December 22, 1924.) As it is shown that prior to the death of the son, he contributed regularly to the support of the claimant, and there is a reasonable showing of existing dependency at time of designation and at the time of death, it is concluded that the claimant is entitled to the six months' gratuity provided in the act of June 4, 1920, which in this case, at \$60 per month, is \$360. (Jan. 26, 1925.)

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MEMOIRS OF THE HARVARD DEAD IN THE WAR AGAINST GERMANY, Volume 5. By M. A. DeWolfe Howe and others, Harvard University Press, Cambridge, Mass.

THE AMERICAN RIFLEMAN, January 15, 1925. Publication of the National Rifle Association of America. Price 20 cents per copy.

UNITED STATES NAVAL MEDICAL BULLETIN, January, 1925.

THE EDISON, January 1925. Published by The New York Edison Co., New York.

HEERSTECHNIE, December, 1924.

THE MILITARY SURGEON, January, 1925.

By Army Medical Museum and Library, Washington.

BULLETIN Eighty-Third Division Fort Hayes, Ohio, January, 1925.

THE QUARTERMASTER REVIEW, January-February, 1925. Published by The Quartermaster Association.

ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

GENERAL STAFF

Maj. Gen. Samuel D. Sturgis, U.S.A., Brig. Gen. Robert E. Callan, U.S.A., and Brig. Gen. LaRoy S. Upton, U.S.A., are detailed as members of the classification board to meet in Washington, D. C., vice-Maj. Gen. Robert L. Bullard, U.S.A., retired, Maj. Gen. David C. Shanks, U.S.A., retired, and Maj. Gen. William R. Smith, U.S.A. (February 19.)

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Col. Royden E. Beebe, General Staff (Infantry), is relieved from detail as a member of the General Staff Corps, from assignment to duty with the War Department General Staff, and from his present assignment and duty in the office of the chief of staff, all effective May 17, and is then detailed in the Inspector General's Department, as amended, effective that date. Upon completion of that temporary duty and expiration of any leave of absence granted him, will proceed to New York city and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port about May 28, for San Francisco, Calif. Upon being relieved from further treatment at general for duty with the Inspector General's Department in the 9th Corps Area. (February 20.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. H. TAYLOR, C. OF E.

First Lt. Robert E. Coughlin, 3d Engineers, is relieved from assignment to that regiment and duty in the Hawaiian Department, and is assigned to the 29th Engineers, with station at the engineer reproduction plant, Washington Barracks, D. C. Upon being relieved from further treatment at Letterman Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., he will proceed on the transport leaving that port about March 7.

Second Lt. Donald G. White, 6th Engineers, is relieved from assignment to that regiment and from duty at Camp Lewis, Washington, effective at such time as will enable him to proceed to San Francisco, Calif., sailing from that port about May 14, for the Hawaiian Islands. Upon arrival in Honolulu he will report to the commanding general for duty with the Corps of Engineers. (February 20.)

FIELD ARTILLERY.

MAJ. GEN. W. J. SNOW, C. OF F. A.

Each of the following named officers is relieved from assignment and duty to the regiment indicated after his name, and from the station specified, at such time as will enable him to proceed to New York city and sail about April 23, for the Hawaiian Islands. Upon arrival in Honolulu, each officer will report to the commanding general for duty with the Field Artillery: 2d Lt. Clayton H. Stuebaker, 14th Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, N. C.; 2d Lt. George E. Burritt, 5th Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, N. C.

Each of the following named officers is relieved from assignment and duty to the organization indicated after his name, effective at such time as will enable him to proceed to San Francisco, Calif., sailing from that port about May 14, for the Hawaiian Islands. Upon arrival each officer will report to the commanding general for duty with the Field Artillery: 2d Lt. Walter J. Klepinger, 9th Field Artillery, Fort Des Moines, Iowa; 2d Lt. Alfred E. Kastner, 82d Field Artillery Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas; 2d Lt. Duane R. Dance, 1st Field Artillery, Fort Sill, Okla.; 2d Lt. Robert L. Taylor, 82d Field Artillery Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas; 2d Lt. Stephen C. Lombard, 82d Field Artillery Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas. (February 19.)

First Lt. Deanes, 17th Field Artillery, is relieved from assignment and duty to that regiment at Fort Bragg, N. C., effective March 15, and is then assigned to the 1st Field Artillery, at Fort Sill, Okla. (February 19.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. F. W. COE, C. OF C. A.

Maj. Paul H. Herman, now on duty in Cincinnati, Ohio, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed for duty with the Organized Reserves, of the 5th Corps Area, assigned to duty with the 83d Division, with station in Cincinnati, Ohio, and will report to the commanding general, 5th Corps Area for instructions. (February 19.)

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. MALIN CRAIG, C. OF CAV.

Capt. James H. Washburn, 2d Cavalry, is relieved from assignment to that regiment, from duty at Fort Riley, Kan., and upon expiration of such leave of absence as may be granted him, will proceed to Indianapolis, Ind., take station and report to the commanding general, 5th Corps Area for duty in connection with recruiting. (February 19.)

First Lt. Francis E. Rundell, 13th Cavalry, is

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President.

Secretary of War—John W. Weeks.

Assistant Secretary of War—Col. Dwight P. Davis.

Chief of Staff—Maj. Gen. John L. Hines.

Deputy Chief of Staff—Brig. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan.

relieved from assignment to that regiment, and his name is placed on the detached list. (February 20.)

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. C. S. FARNSWORTH, C. OF INF.

Capt. Gustave A. M. Anderson is relieved from his present assignment and duty as student at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga., and will proceed at the proper time to San Francisco, Calif., sailing from that port about June 17 for China. Upon arrival at Chinwangtao, China, he will proceed to Tientsin, and report to the commanding general, U. S. Army Forces in China for duty with the Infantry. (February 19.)

First Lt. Raymond E. Shum is relieved from assignment to the 18th Infantry Brigade and from duty at Army Base, Boston, Mass., effective so as to enable him to proceed to New York city, and sail on the transport scheduled to leave that port about June 11 for the Canal Zone. Upon arrival in Panama he will report for duty with the Infantry. (February 19.)

Second Lt. Henry J. P. Harding, Infantry (Tanks), is relieved from assignment and duties at Camp Meade, Md., effective at such time as will enable him to proceed to New York city, sailing from that port about June 11, for the Canal Zone. Upon arrival he will report to the commanding general for duty with the Infantry. (February 19.)

First Lt. Adolphus B. Pence is relieved from assignment and duty as assistant professor military science and tactics at the State College of Washington, Pullman, Wash., and is assigned to the 3d Division in Alaska. He will report by letter to the commanding general of the 9th Corps Area of assignment to organization and station with the Infantry in Alaska, and sail by transport in June. (February 19.)

First Lt. Robert V. Laughlin is assigned to the 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to take effect upon completion of his tour of foreign service, and will join that organization at the proper time. (February 19.)

Each of the following named officers is assigned to the 29th Infantry, Fort Benning, Ga., to take effect upon completion of his tour of foreign service

and will join that organization and station at the proper time. (February 19.)

Maj. William A. Stack is relieved from duty as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Porto Rico, Rio Piedras, Porto Rico, and is assigned to the 65th Infantry, San Juan, Porto Rico. He will report to the commanding officer for duty with the regiment to which he is assigned. (February 20.)

Lt. Col. Claude L. Fries, now on duty in Washington, D. C., will report to the commanding general, District of Washington, for duty at his headquarters in connection with recruiting in addition to his other duties. (February 20.)

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. W. H. HART, Q.M.G.

Lt. Col. Henry Gibbons is relieved from assignment and duties at the Army War College, Washington Barracks, D. C., effective July 1, and will then report to the Quartermaster General for duty in his office. (February 19.)

Capt. James T. MacDonald is relieved from assignment and duty as Instructor National Guard, Boston, Mass., is detailed as Quartermaster Corps Instructor of the states comprising the 43d Division, National Guard, and upon expiration of leave of absence as may be granted him, will proceed to Hartford, Conn., and take station. (February 20.)

The name of Lt. Col. Henry Gibbons is removed from the detached officers' list, effective July 1, 1925. (February 20.)

Capt. Elbert Cook, Quartermaster Corps, Quartermaster Corps School, Philadelphia, Pa., will proceed upon completion of his present duty, to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (February 20.)

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. M. W. IRELAND, S. G.

Capt. Samuel Marcus, Medical Administrative Corps is relieved from assignment and duties at the 8th Corps General Area Department, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, and will report to the commanding officer station hospital, Fort Sam Houston for duty. (February 20.)

LATE ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

S. O. 45, February 21, 1925, W. D.

Leave for 1 month and 15 days, to Brig. Gen. A. W. Bjornstad, effective February 22, 1925. Sick leave for 3 months, to Capt. D. W. Colhoun, effective February 23, 1925.

Resignation of 1st Lt. O. E. Spruance, A. S., accepted.

1st Sgt. Richard Browning, placed on retired list at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

1st Sgt. Casabon Greenwood placed on retired list at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

Staff Sgt. Adam Hoffmann placed on retired list at Camp Lewis, Washington.

1st Sgt. James Duffy, placed on retired list at Fort Leavenworth, Texas.

Tech. Sgt. Louis Elbe, placed on retired list at present station.

Leave granted Capt. H. L. Girault extended 5 days.

Maj. C. L. Byrne to superintendent U. S. Military Academy, for duty as associate professor on modern languages, effective February 26, 1925.

1st Lt. G. G. Harvey to commanding officer station hospital, Fort Sam Houston, for duty.

Capt. R. A. Stout to commanding officer Fort Sam Houston, for duty.

Capt. H. J. Adams to New York city, and sail April 23, 1925, for Hawaiian Islands, reporting to commanding general Hawaiian Department, for duty with the Signal Corps.

Par. S. O. 300, W. D., December 18, 1924, relating to Capt. Livingston Swentzel, revoked.

Capt. C. McK. Innis, to 2d Inf., Fort Brady, Michigan.

Capt. W. A. McAdam, to 2d Inf., Fort Brady, Michigan.

Col. J. H. Bradford, detailed as member of Army retiring board to meet at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, vice Col. F. L. Parker, hereby relieved.

Resignation of 1st Lt. H. E. Wooldridge, effective in Honolulu, H. T., accepted.

1st Sgt. J. P. Murphy, placed on retired list at Springfield Armory, Mass.

Capt. J. C. Hinton, to active duty, effective May 1, 1925, reporting to executive officer engineer war procurement district, Philadelphia, Pa., for training.

Capt. J. C. Brady, to active duty, effective April 17, 1925, reporting to executive officer engineer, war procurement district, Philadelphia, Pa., for training.

Maj. C. W. Lohmann, jr., to active duty, effective March 6, 1925, reporting to commanding officer New York general intermediate depot for training. Rank from March 6, 1925.

Maj. J. G. Goodie, to active duty, effective March 16, 1925, reporting to commanding officer engineer reproduction plant, Washington Barracks, D. C., for training. Rank from March 16, 1925.

Capt. G. K. Staples, to active duty, effective March 2, 1925, reporting to procurement planning officer New York general intermediate depot, New York. Rank from March 2, 1925.

Leave granted Maj. Cushman Hartwell, extended 2 days.

Resignation by Maj. Cushman Hartwell, accepted, effective February 24, 1925.

Master Sgt. J. H. Fowler, placed on retired list at New York University.

1st Lt. H. W. Jones, to duty in Alaska.

2d Lt. J. W. Huntress, jr., to New York city and sail May 28, 1925, to the Philippines, for duty with the Quartermaster Corps.

1st Lt. M. O. Cahill, to Quartermaster Corps School, Philadelphia, Pa., effective on completing present tour of foreign service.

1st Lt. H. B. Nurse, to duty as assistant to constructing quartermaster, New York city, effective on completing present tour of foreign service.

Leave for 17 days to 1st Lt. R. H. Cooper, effective March 28, 1925.

Leave granted Capt. R. Q. Whitten, extended 10 days.

Sgt. N. J. Geoghegan placed on retired list at Fort Lawton, Washington.

Warrant Officer G. I. Alkman, to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty at Corps Area Headquarters.

S. O. 46, February 24, 1925, W. D.

First Lt. D. H. Passell to active duty, effective April 16, reporting for training to United States Army, Chicago, Ill., Finance Officer.

Second Lt. J. A. Collins and Staff Sgt. P. P. Knopke to proper station, Langley Field, Va.

Leave granted Lt. Col. R. W. Briggs extended 7 days.

Transfer of 2d Lt. E. C. Meriwether to Field Artillery, with rank from June 12, 1923, announced.

Master Sgt. V. E. Devereaux, transferred in present grade to 1st Engineers, Fort DuPont, Del.

Sgt. M. B. McMath transferred in present grade to enlisted detachment office, Chief of Engineers, Washington, D. C.

Capt. E. S. J. Irvine, to duty with Organized Reserves of Third Corps Area, with station at Washington, D. C.

Leave granted Capt. F. E. Sharpless extended 2 months and 14 days.

Leave for 4 months to 1st Lt. W. E. Lorence, effective June 1.

Capt. C. B. Campbell, jr., to commanding officer, Fort Crook, Nebraska, on expiration of present leave of absence.

Capt. Jerome Clark, to Fort Benning, Ga., effective March 25, 1925, for temporary duty as finance officer and property auditor, relieving Maj. B. L. Jacobson.

Maj. B. L. Jacobson to Washington, D. C., for duty in office of Chief Militia Bureau, relieving Lt. Col. Theodore Schmultz. Name placed on detached officers' list.

Lt. Col. Theodore Schmultz, to finance officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C., for temporary duty. Name removed from detached officers' list.

First Lt. A. E. Thomas to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty, effective April 11.

Maj. J. E. Foote to Fort Humphreys, Va.

Second Lt. H. G. Travis, retired from active service.

First Lt. C. W. Leng, jr., retired from active service.

Lt. Col. L. P. Williamson retired from active service.

First Sgt. F. M. Pettigrew placed on retired list at Honolulu, H. T.

Warrant Officer J. E. Sauer to commanding general, Third Corps Area, Baltimore, Md., for duty.

LEAVES

Two months, effective about July 1, is granted Maj. Jens A. Doe, Infantry. Two months, effective about July 1, is granted Maj. Walton H. Walker, Infantry, with permission to leave the United States.

ORGANIZED RESERVES

Lt. Col. Harry Milton Fridley, Fin., O.R.C., Brooklyn, N. Y., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective April 16. On that date he will report in person to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Brooklyn, N. Y., for training. He will rank from April 16, and revert to inactive status April 30, 1925. (February 19.)

The order announcing the promotion of 2d Lt. Harry Joseph Brady, Air Service Reserve, to 1st Lt. Air Service, is amended to read Air Service Reserve. (February 19.)

Capt. Harry C. L. Feast, Fin., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective March 16. On that date he will proceed from Washington, D. C., to Camp Meade, Md., for training. He will rank from March 16, and be relieved from duty March 30, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

First Lt. James D. Kitchen, Fin., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective May 1. Upon that date he will proceed from Reading, Pa., to Philadelphia, Pa., reporting to the finance officer, U. S. Army, for training. He will rank from May 1, and be relieved from duty May 15, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

Capt. John J. Helms, Fin., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective May 16. On that date he will report to the finance officer, U. S. Army, Brooklyn, N. Y., for training. He will rank from May 16 and will be relieved from duty May 30, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

Lt. Col. Lindsey Blayne, Inf., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective May 1. Upon that date he will proceed from Houston, Texas, to Washington, D. C., reporting to the Chief of Infantry for training. He will rank from January 28, 1925, and be relieved from duty May 15, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

Lt. Col. Kendall Banning, Sig., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective March 1. He will proceed from New York, N. Y., to Washington, D. C., reporting to the assistant Secretary of War for training. He will rank from March 1, and be relieved from duty March 15, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

Maj. Charles Bolte, Sanitary Corps Reserve, is, with his consent, ordered to active duty March 1. Upon that date he will proceed from Pelham, N. Y., to Washington, D. C., reporting to the assistant Secretary of War for training. He will rank from February 19, and will be relieved from duty on March 10, on which date he will revert to inactive status. (February 20.)

Each of the following named officers of the Quartermaster Corps Reserve is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective March 1. On that date he will proceed to Jeffersonville, Ind., reporting to the commanding officer, Jeffersonville Quartermaster Intermediate Depot for training. Each officer will rank from the date set after his name and will be relieved from duty March 15, reverting to inactive status: Maj. Harry John Price, March 1, Jeffersonville, Ind.; Capt. Charles Richard Bohannon, March 1, Jeffersonville, Ind.; Capt. Frank Hamilton Ralfsrud, November 11, 1924, Crestline, Ohio; 1st Lt. Quay Kinsel Grimes, Columbus, Ohio; 2d Lt. Charles Chester Eynon, March 1, Alliance, Ohio; 2d Lt. Harry J. Guy, March 1, Lagrange, Ind.; 2d Lt. John Kocinaki, March 1, Toledo, Ohio; 2d Lt. John J. Morris, March 1, Osborn, Ohio. (February 20.)

Maj. Thaddeus Brown Glover, Q.M., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective March 2. On that date he will report to the procurement planning officer, Buffalo, N. Y., for training. He will rank from December 15, 1924, and be relieved from duty March 16, reverting to inactive status. (February 20.)

NAVY GYMNASTS ARE TOO MUCH FOR BOSTON TECH

NAVAL Academy gymnasts, for three years intercollegiate champions, gave promise of another successful season by defeating Massachusetts Tech in the opening local match by 50 to 4 at Annapolis on February 4. The visitors worked hard, but were outclassed in form, speed and difficulty of feats performed. A second and a third place made up their whole score.

Of the old members of the team, Wheelock and Stropp did particularly good work, the former on the horizontal bar and in rope climbing, and the latter on the flying rings, horse and rope.

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ARMY CORPS AREAS AND DEPARTMENTS

1ST ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Boston, Mass.

MAJ. GEN. A. W. BREWSTER, COMDR.
Col. C. D. Roberts, Chief of Staff.

Capt. Will I. Levy, C.A., O.R.C., Boston, Mass., is promoted from the next lower grade and is assigned to the 601st Coast Artillery Railway.

Capt. Henry Cameron Archibald, C.A., O.R.C., Everett, Mass., is assigned to the 553d Coast Artillery Battalion (A.A.) Special Zone of the Interior Troops.

Maj. John Henry Doyle, Med., O.R.C., Fall River, Mass., is relieved from assignment as assistant chief of Surgical Service at General Hospital No. 5, C. Z., and is placed in the Territorial Assignment Group.

Lt. Col. Charles Herbert Holt, Med., O.R.C., Pawtucket, R. I., is relieved from assignment to the 9th Medical Regiment, 9th Div.

1st Lt. Robert W. Crichton, Jr., Coast Artillery Corps, Fort H. G. Wright, New York, is appointed aide-de-camp to Brig. Gen. John D. Barrette, U. S. Army, reporting for duty at Boston.

Col. Henry G. Leonard, Inf. (D.O.L.), National Guard, 1st Corps Area, and Maj. John W. Hyatt, Inf. (D.O.L.), Instructor Massachusetts National Guard, will report to the School of Instruction for State Adjutants' General, to be held at the Militia Bureau, Washington, D. C., March 5 to 10.

Capt. John L. Gammell, Field Artillery, (D.O.L.), Instructor Massachusetts National Guard, Boston, Mass., will proceed to Salem, Mass., on temporary duty in connection with the instruction of units of the 102d Field Artillery, Massachusetts National Guard.

Col. William E. Horton, Quartermaster Corps, Quartermaster, 1st Corps Area, is assigned to attend the convention of Rail Transportation officials and business men, to be held during the period, March 2-3.

Lt. Col. Charles C. Burt, Coast Artillery Corps, (D.O.L.), Instructor Massachusetts National Guard, Fall River, Mass., will make five trips during the month of March and six trips during the month of April to Boston, Mass., on temporary duty in connection with the instruction of units of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Capt. Joseph W. Whitney, Inf. (D.O.L.), now on duty as instructor at South Armory, Boston, Mass., will make the annual armory inspection of the 101st Inf., Massachusetts National Guard, at the following places and accompanying dates: Attleboro, March 2; Norwood, March 3; Quincy, March 5; Newton, March 9; Cambridge, March 10; Hingham, March 12; Boston, March 15, 16, 24, 26 and 31; Plymouth, March 30; Cambridge, April 2 and 7; Boston, April 14.

Lt. Col. Harry E. Comstock, Quartermaster Corps, will proceed from Boston, Mass., to Springfield, Mass., on temporary duty in connection with the units of Organized Reserves and on completion of this temporary duty will return to his proper station in Boston.

Lt. Col. David S. Fairchild, Jr., Medical Corps, (D.O.L.), instructor, National Guard, State Armory, New Haven, Conn., will proceed to Providence, R. I., on temporary duty in connection with the instruction of units of the National Guard.

Capt. Stanley F. Bryan, Field Artillery, (D.O.L.), now on duty as instructor at Providence, R. I., will make the annual inspection of the 101st Field Artillery, Massachusetts National Guard, at the following places and on the dates named: Brockton, March 2; Boston, March 4; New Bedford, March 5; Taunton, March 9; Boston, March 10, 12, 16, 20, 22 and 26; Brockton, March 19.

Capt. Neal W. Richmond, Inf. (D.O.L.), on duty as instructor at the State House, Montpelier, Vt., will make the annual armory inspection of the Vermont National Guard at Montpelier, February 26.

Col. Charles E. Kilbourne, Coast Artillery Corps, on duty at Fort Banks, Mass., will make the annual inspection of the 21st Coast Artillery, Massachusetts National Guard as follows: Battery C, Regimental Headquarters, Headquarters Battery and Band, Boston, March 9; Battery L, Boston, March 10; Battery I, Fall River, March 12; Battery L, Boston, March 16; Battery H, Chelsea, March 18; Battery G, Boston, March 23; Battery E, Boston, March 30; Battery M, and Headquarters 3d Battalion, Fall River, March 31; Battery S, New Bedford, April 16; Battery F, New Bedford, April 9; Battery A, Fall River, April 13; Battery B, Fall River, April 15.

Capt. Frank Pierce Edwards, Q.M., O.R.C., Somerville, Mass., is assigned to Supply Co. No. 776, C. Z.

The following named Reserve officers of the Engineer Corps are relieved from assignment to the units indicated: 2d Lt. Ernest Rand, Rumford, Me., from Headquarters Bangor Mobilization Area, Z. I.; 2d Lt. Harry Bruno Fernhals, North Adams, Mass.

Leaves—Two months, effective on or about March 1, with permission to leave the continental limits of the United States, granted 1st Lt. Albert C. Donovan, 7th Field Artillery, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. Two months, effective on or about February 9, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, granted 1st Lt. Frank Camm, 7th Field Artillery, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

2D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Governors Island, N. Y.

MAJ. GEN. C. P. SUMMERALL, COMDR.
Col. W. P. Jackson, Chief of Staff.

Col. George Vidner, Cavalry, (D.O.L.), will proceed about February 23 from New York, N. Y., to Buffalo, Rochester and Albany, N. Y., in the order named, on temporary duty in connection with the Organized Reserves, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Maj. Benjamin M. Bailey, Field Artillery, (D.O.L.), will proceed about February 10 from Governors Island, N. Y., to Madison Barracks, N. Y., and Syracuse, N. Y., on temporary duty in connection with recruiting, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

The following named officers are detailed as special instructors, National Guard, to the 44th Di-

A FINANCIAL STATEMENT THAT ANY MAN OR WOMAN CAN UNDERSTAND NATIONAL CAPITAL MORTGAGE COMPANY

(Incorporated February 7, 1924)

AUTHORIZED CAPITALIZATION: \$1,250,000
FIRST ISSUE OF STOCK: \$220,000, of which \$129,960 has been sold
Showing Condition of Company at Close of Business December 31, 1924

(Based on an Audit of the books and records of the Company by General J. T. Dickman, Admiral T. J. Cowie, Colonel C. B. Drake, and Colonel J. M. Wheeler.)

[1] The Company has these liabilities:

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| (a) Balance due on Mortgages | \$13,193.25 |
| This represents balances due on mortgages purchased, but on which payments have not yet been completed. | |
| (b) Accounts payable | 1,122.00 |
| Represents amounts due on account of advertising and operating expenses. | |
| (c) Set aside for Dividends to be paid January 1, 1925 | 1,804.74 |
| This includes the regular quarterly dividend at the rate of 8% per annum on the Preferred stock and a dividend of 8% per annum on the Common. | |
| (d) Stock sold and paid for | 105,990.50 |
| This represents the amount of money actually received for stock sold, and as is customary, it is being carried as a liability representing an obligation to the stockholders. | |
| (NOTE: The total amount of stock sold outright and on the Partial Payment Plan amounts to \$129,960. Of the part sold on the Partial Payment Plan and which is being paid for monthly, \$23,960.50 is still due, leaving \$105,990.50 as the amount that has been sold and paid for.) | |
| Total Liabilities | \$122,110.49 |

[2] To meet these liabilities the Company has:

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| (a) Mortgages | \$117,668.85 |
| They are secured by property of first quality, located in Washington and its suburbs, the amount of the mortgages being only about 70% of the value of the property, thus giving a margin of safety of 30%. | |
| (b) Notes Receivable | 4,469.00 |
| These are interest-bearing notes, which are amply secured and negotiable. | |
| (c) Furniture and Fixtures | 342.20 |
| (d) Cash in Bank | 9,458.42 |
| (e) Cash in Safe | 1,467.00 |
| Total Assets with which to meet liabilities | \$133,405.47 |

[3] Surplus. Since the assets amount to \$133,405.47, and the total liabilities to only \$122,110.49, this leaves a Surplus of \$11,294.98, which, together with all other assets of the Company, belongs to the stockholders. It represents the net earnings of the Company to date, and is above and beyond all expenses and payment of dividends.

EXTRACTS FROM SUMMARY OF AUDIT

Balance of First Issue Probably Soon Sold. At the increasing rate that the stock is being sold, there is every reason to believe that the balance of the first issue will soon be taken up.

Every Indication Net Earnings Will Increase. During the eleven months of its existence the National Capital Mortgage Company has shown a steady, healthy and substantial growth, and there is every reason to believe that the net earnings of the Company will increase materially.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Low Overhead to Continue. That every effort be made to continue operation of the Company with present low overhead expense.
2. Quarterly Audit by Committee of Directors. That hereafter a Committee of the Board of Directors, selected from available Directors, not officers of the Company, or members of the Executive Committee, be appointed quarterly to audit the affairs of the Company, in order that stockholders and prospective stock purchasers may know that their Directors are taking an active part in the administration of the Company and are safeguarding their interests.

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J. T. DICKMAN

C. B. Drake
C. B. DRAKE

T. J. Cowie
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AUDITING COMMITTEE.

(NOTE: Both of the above recommendations were unanimously approved by the stockholders at their regular annual meeting, held January 14, 1925.)

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The following named officers are detailed as special instructors, National Guard, to the 27th Division Headquarters: Col. Adolphe H. Huguet, Infantry, (D.O.L.), New York, N. Y. and Frederick M. Armstrong, Infantry, (D.O.L.), Syracuse, N. Y. Maj. Henry Abbey, jr., Air Service, will proceed to Fort Jay, N. Y., reporting to the commanding officer for duty.

Col. John F. Bradley, 18th Infantry, accompanied by Capt. George T. Shank, will make one visit to each place during the month of February, March and April, from Fort Slocum, N. Y., to Fort Schuyler, and Fort Hamilton, N. Y., on temporary duty in connection with the inspection, instruction and training of the 18th Infantry located at these stations.

Capt. James B. Wilson, Inf., O.R.C., Buffalo, N. Y., recently promoted, is attached to the 98th Div. for training.

2d Lt. Chauncey P. Williams, jr., F.A., O.R.C., is relieved from assignment to the 401st En. Horse Artillery, and is assigned to the 98th Div.

The following named Reserve Officers are assigned to the 12th Corps: Maj. Thomas Palmer, jr., F.A., O.R.C., New York city; Maj. Norman D. Richardson, Engr., O.R.C., New York city; Capt. Eugene B. Whitfield, Engr., O.R.C., New York city; Capt. Ronald C. Hands, Engr., O.R.C., Rochester, N. Y.; Capt. Henry H. Duke, Med., O.R.C., New York city; 2d Lt. Lionel M. Livingston, Engr., O.R.C.,

Rochester, N. Y.; 2d Lt. Christopher M. Conway, Ord., O.R.C., Brooklyn, N. Y.; 1st Lt. William C. Hunter, Inf., O.R.C., Brooklyn, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Robert W. Atkinson, F.A., O.R.C.; 1st Lt. Paul R. Squires, F.A., O.R.C., Brooklyn, N. Y.; 2d Lt. George T. Franklin, A.S., O.R.C., Seneca, N. Y.; 2d Lt. Douglas G. Hoyt, A.S., O.R.C., Dunbar, N. Y.; 2d Lt. Ralph C. Hartstough, A.S., O.R.C., New York city; 2d Lt. Henry B. Clark, A.S., O.R.C., Garden City, N. Y.; John J. Niles, A.S., O.R.C., New York city; 2d Lt. Michael Menzies, A.S., O.R.C., Vineland, N. Y.; 2d Lt. James F. Neufus, A.S., O.R.C., Laurel, I. I., N. Y.

The following named Reserve Corps officers are assigned to the 12th Corps: Maj. Bertram I. Hall, Engr., O.R.C., Olean, N. Y.; Maj. Henry D. Frisbee, Q.M., O.R.C., Bronx, N. Y.; Capt. Coe F. Dexter, Q.M., O.R.C., Cortland, N. Y.; 1st Lt. William G. Halbert, Engr., O.R.C., New York city; Capt. John J. Noonan, Inf., O.R.C., New York city.

Brig. Gen. Maj. J. Morrow, Engr., O.R.C., New York city, is assigned to the 12th Corps.

Maj. David M. Oltarsh, Engr., O.R.C., New York city, is relieved from attachment to the 61st Cavalry Div., and is assigned to the 12th Corps.

Capt. Joseph Gottlieb, F.I.N., O.R.C., is relieved from attachment to the 12th Corps.

2d Lt. William C. Sharwell, M.A., O.R.C., is relieved from assignment to the 303d Med. Regt. 78th Div.

Capt. John L. Delius, Brooklyn, and Samuel Henderson, O.R.D., O.R.C., (B.A. Group), recently

promoted, are attached for training only to the 12th Corps.

Capt. Frederick J. Mitchell, Chap., O.R.C., Passaic, N. J., and Capt. C. P. Dowell, F.A., O.R.C., Fort Richmond, N. Y., recently promoted, are assigned to the 12th Corps.

Maj. Charles B. Drew, Inf., O.R.C., East Orange, N. J., recently promoted, is attached to the 78th Div., for training.

Capt. Peay, jr., F.A., O.R.C., New York city, recently promoted, is attached for training to the 77th Div.

1st Lt. Theodore E. Stebbins, C.A., O.R.C., New York city, recently promoted, is assigned to the 2d Coast Artillery District.

3D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Baltimore, Md.

MAJ. GEN. SAMUEL D. STURGIS, COMDR.
Col. F. S. Cochen, Chief of Staff.

The following Reserve Officers are assigned to units of the Organized Reserves: To the 62d Cav. Div. 2d Lt. John H. Williams, Cav., O.R.C., Baltimore, Md.; to the Non-Divisional Group: 2d Lt. Urban E. Conlon, Washington, D. C.; 2d Lt. Robert F. Doney, Q.M., O.R.C., Washington, D. C.; 2d Lt. Randall W. Greene, Q.M., O.R.C., Meadville, Pa.; 2d Lt. Carl Luke, Q.M., O.R.C., Washington, (Continued on page 1906)

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Pa., and 2d Lt. Edwin E. McCowan, Q.M., O.R.C., Washington, D. C.

Capt. Elwood V. Miller, Ord., O.R.C., Philadelphia, Pa., having been placed in the B.A. Group, is relieved from assignment to the 79th Div.

2d Lt. Richard C. Frandis, Inf., O.R.C., Richmond, Va., is attached to the 80th Div., for training and instruction. Maj. Leonard J. Sarjeant, Dent., O.R.C., West Philadelphia, Pa., is relieved from his present assignment to the Non-Divisional Group, and is attached to the Non-Divisional Group for training and instruction.

1st Lt. Harry A. Mesjian, Dent., O.R.C., Philadelphia, Pa., is assigned to the Non-Divisional Group, with a view to further assignment to General Hospital No. 34 in the capacity of dental surgeon.

The following Reserve officers are assigned to units of the Organized Reserves: To 99th Division, 1st Lt. Glenn V. Foulke, Chap., O.R.C., Blain, Pa., and 2d Lt. Wayne O. Hackett, F.A., O.R.C., Rochester, Pa.; to 62d Cavalry Division, Capt. Benton Clement, Q.M., O.R.C., Sparks, Md.; to the Non-Divisional Group, 2d Lt. Louis E. Souer, F.A., O.R.C., Wilkesburg, Pa.; Capt. Ralph N. Steimer, Inf., O.R.C., Pittsburgh, Pa., having been federally recognized in the National Guard as a 1st Lieutenant Field Artillery, is relieved from his present assignment to the 99th Div., and is assigned to the National Guard of Pennsylvania.

The following Reserve officers are assigned to the Non-Divisional Group: Capt. Harry C. Carpenter, C.A., O.R.C., Johnsonburg, Pa.; Capt. William W. Nairn, Jr., C.A., O.R.C., Silver Spring, Md.; Capt. James M. Edlavitch, Q.M., O.R.C., Hyattsville, Md.; 2d Lt. Richard G. McCabe, Q.M., O.R.C., Washington, D. C.

Maj. Robert S. Harden, Engr., O.R.C., Wayne, Pa., is attached to the 79th Division for training and instruction.

The following Reserve officers are attached to the 99th Division for training and instruction: 2d Lt. Samson Goldstein, Inf., O.R.C., Portage, Pa., and 2d Lt. Herman L. Greenburg, Inf., O.R.C., Phillipsburg, Pa.

2d Lt. Charles R. Halpin, Inf., O.R.C., Emsworth, Pa., is relieved from attachment to the 99th Division, for training and is assigned to the 99th Division.

The following Reserve officers are assigned to the 99th Division: 1st Lt. Thomas L. James, Engr., O.R.C., Pittsburgh, Pa., and 1st Lt. Arlington C. Spring, Engr., O.R.C.

2d Lt. John C. Martin, A.S., O.R.C., Baltimore, Md., is relieved from assignment to the Non-Divisional Group, and is attached to the Non-Divisional Group.

The following Reserve officers are relieved from attachment to the 79th Division, and are assigned to the 79th Division: 2d Lts. A.S., O.R.C., Lewis E. Goodenough, Lew A. Greene, Paul Hoffman, Wilmet C. Jones, Charles McD. Kootz, Charles W. Robertson, Samuel Welsh.

The following Reserve officers are assigned to attached units of the Organized Reserves: 2d Lt. Ralph N. Earp, F.A., O.R.C., Harrisburg, Pa., attached to the 79th Div.; 2d Lt. Stanley A. Willer, F.A., O.R.C., Baltimore, Md., assigned to the 80th Div.; 2d Lt. William L. Irby, Jr., Cav., O.R.C., assigned to the 62d Cavalry Div.; Maj. Edward A. Olsen, Sig., O.R.C., Alexandria, Va., assigned to the Non-Divisional Group.

4TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Atlanta, Ga.

MAJ. GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, COMDR.
Col. T. W. Darragh, Chief of Staff.

Col. Paul Giddings, Inf., (D.O.L.), Corps Area Recruiting officer, will proceed about February 10 from Atlanta, Ga., to Fort Bragg, N. C., on temporary duty in connection with recruiting for the Regular Army, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Maj. Lindsey D. Beach, Cav., (D.O.L.), will proceed from Columbia, S. C., to Fort McPherson, Ga., reporting to the commanding officer for treatment at the station hospital and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Capt. James F. Mabry, F.A., O.R.C., Shreveport, La., with his consent, ordered to active duty effective about March 13. He will proceed to Fort Sill, Okla., reporting to the commandant, the Field Artillery School, for the purpose of taking a course of instruction. He will be relieved from duty about June 17, and will revert to inactive status.

Col. Raymond Sheldon, 8th Infantry, will proceed about February 6, from Fort Screven, Ga., to Fort Moultrie, S. C., on temporary duty in connection with matters to the 8th Infantry, and upon completion of this duty he will return to his proper station.

Col. Thomas W. Darragh, General Staff, 4th Corps Area, will proceed from Atlanta, Ga., to Tampa and Miami, Fla., on temporary duty to carry out the instructions of the Corps Area Commander, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Capt. William F. McMillan, F.A., O.R.C., (4th Army Corps), Cherrydale, N. C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty, effective March 13. He will proceed to Fort Sill, Okla., reporting to the commandant Field Artillery School, for the purpose of pursuing a course of instruction. He will be relieved from duty June 17, reverting to inactive status.

Capt. Edwin O. Baker, Signal Corps, assistant officer, will proceed from Atlanta, Ga., about February 1 to Camp McClellan, Ala., on temporary duty relative to Signal Corps matters in connection with the preparations for the summer training camps and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

1st Lt. Hubert W. Collins, Corps of Engineers, (D.O.L.), will proceed from West Point, Miss., to Fort McPherson, Ga., for treatment at the station hospital.

Leaves—One month and 14 days, effective about February 15, is granted Capt. Richard B. Trimble, 6th Cavalry. One month and 20 days, effective about February 9, is granted 2d Lt. Russell G. Duff, 13th Field Artillery.

ARMY CORPS AREA AND DEPARTMENTS

5TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio.

MAJ. GEN. OMAR BUNDY, COMDR.
Col. T. E. Merrill, Chief of Staff.

Maj. Larry B. McAfee, Medical Corps, (D.O.L.), instructor, Indiana National Guard, and until his successor reports for duty; 1st Lt. Grover A. Surma, Infantry, (D.O.L.), instructor, Indiana National Guard, in addition to his other duties, is detailed as instructor of the 113th Medical Regiment, Indiana National Guard.

Capt. Edward A. Caserly, Medical Corps, Fort Thomas, Ky., will report to Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., for treatment.

1st Lt. Grover A. Summa, Infantry, (D.O.L.), instructor, Indiana National Guard, in addition to his other duties is detailed as assistant instructor, 149th Motor Transport Company, 35th Division Train, Quartermaster Corps, National Guard, Armory, Louisville, Ky., for duty.

Leave of absence for one month and 5 days, effective about February 2, is granted Army Field Clerk Oliver E. Scheid, these headquarters.

6TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Chicago, Ill.

MAJ. GEN. H. C. HALE, COMDR.
Col. R. E. Wylie, Chief of Staff.

Maj. Albert F. Drake, Judge Advocate General's Department, is assigned to duty as Assistant to the Corps Area Judge Advocate, with station in Chicago, Ill.

Capt. Willard L. Smith, Infantry, (D.O.L.), Grand Rapids, Mich., in addition to his other duties, is detailed as acting recruiting officer at that station, during the absence of Lt. Col. H. M. Pales, U. S. Army, retired.

1st Lt. Col. Robert J. Binford, Inf., (D.O.L.), is, in addition to his other duties, detailed as acting Corps Area recruiting officer during the absence of Maj. Henry M. Nelly, Inf., (D.O.L.), and also detailed as acting officer in charge Reserve Officers' Training Corps affairs, this Corps Area, during the temporary absence of Lt. Col. Robert H. Sillman, Inf., (D.O.L.).

1st Lt. Col. Grant M. Miles, Inf., O.R.C., is, with his consent, ordered to active duty for a period of 30 days, effective March 16. He will proceed from Peoria, Ill., to Washington, D. C., reporting to the chief of staff, and will rank from February 16. He will be relieved from duty April 16, and revert to inactive status.

The following Reserve officers are assigned to organizations set opposite their names: Lt. Col. William A. Carroll, Inf., O.R.C., 341st Inf., 86th Div.; Capt. Stanley H. Simpson, C.A., O.R.C., 531st Artillery (A.A.), G.H.Q. Reserves; 2d Lt. Frederick C. Collins, Cav., O.R.C., 319th Cavalry, 65th Division; 2d Lt. Herbert H. Kleiner, Eng., O.R.C., 310th Engineers, 85th Division, and 2d Lt. Joseph H. Ware, Jr., Sig., O.R.C., Interior Installations, Camp Grant, Ill.

Capt. William H. James, Eng., O.R.C., Boone, Iowa, is assigned to the 507th Eng., Bn. (Railway).

Capt. Raymond C. French, Q.M., O.R.C., is relieved from assignment to 327th Motor Repair Bn., and is assigned to 6th Army Train.

Maj. Maurice C. Johnson, Inf., O.R.C., recently promoted, is relieved from assignment to the 321st Tank Bn.

Capt. Edward A. Corcoran, Med., O.R.C., is attached to the 324th Signal Bn., 6th Army.

Capt. John V. Stark, Infantry, (D.O.L.), Milwaukee, Wis., will proceed to Wausau, Wis., on temporary duty in connection with recruiting activities and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Capt. J. Edwin Gough, Infantry, (D.O.L.), will proceed to the following named places on temporary duty in connection with C.M.T.C. recruiting activities: Lapeer, Inlay, Flint, Fenton, London, Flushing, Clio and Ionia. Upon completion of each trip he will return to his proper station.

Capt. Frank M. Child, Inf., (D.O.L.), Milwaukee, Wis., will proceed to the following named places for duty in connection with army instruction of the Wisconsin National Guard: Whitewater, Oconomowoc, Delavan, Milwaukee, Edgerton, Reedsburg, Tomah, Sparta, Hudson and Madison. Upon completion of this duty he will return to his proper station.

The following Reserve officers are relieved from assignment to the 318th Motor Repair Bn., and are assigned to the 327th Motor Repair Bn.: 1st Lt. Charles F. Dease, Q.M., O.R.C., and 1st Lt. Henry T. Rollins, Q.M., O.R.C.

The following named Reserve officers are assigned to the 507th Engineer Battalion (Railway): Capt. Russell B. Arnold, Eng., O.R.C.; Capt. Robert M. Phinney, Eng., O.R.C., and 1st Lt. James McBride, Eng., O.R.C.

1st Lt. Russell A. Anderson, Eng., O.R.C., is assigned to the 573d Engineer Train (Bridge).

1st Lt. Albert J. Wellman, Inf., O.R.C., is assigned to the 340th Infantry, 5th Div.

Capt. Ray A. Barnes, A.S., O.R.C., is assigned to the 425th Attack Squadron.

The following named Reserve officers are assigned to the 101st Tank Co., 101st Div.; 1st Lt. Cornelius J. Rooney, Inf., O.R.C.; 2d Lt. Floyd R. Kessler, Inf., O.R.C.; 2d Lt. Isadore Richtig, Inf., O.R.C.

2d Lt. Charles H. Shepherd, Cav., O.R.C., is assigned to the 160th Machine Gun Squadron, 65th Cavalry Div.

1st Lt. Albert G. Thomas, Inf., O.R.C., is assigned to the Postal Section, Hdq. 101st Div.

Leaves—One month and 23 days, effective about April 1, is granted Capt. L. P. Worrell, Finance Department, Chicago, Ill.

7TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Omaha, Neb.

MAJ. GEN. G. B. DUNCAN, COMDR.
Col. H. A. Eaton, Chief of Staff.

Lt. Col. Morton C. Mumma, Cavalry, University of Iowa, Iowa City, will proceed to Washington, D. C., for temporary duty in connection with a

meeting of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Capt. Roger M. Still, Infantry, Headquarters 255th Inf., Lincoln, Neb., will proceed to Omaha, or temporary duty in connection with Citizens Military Training Camps and upon completion of which he will return to his proper station.

Brigadier General Frank M. Caldwell, U. S. Army, Fort Des Moines, Iowa, will proceed to Fort Monroe, Va., reporting about February 1, to the commandant, the Coast Artillery School, for temporary duty as student.

Capt. George W. Gillette, Corps of Engineers, Kansas City, Mo., will make a visit of instruction to units of the National Guard at Jefferson City, Mo., and return to Kansas City.

Maj. Benjamin S. Stocker, Infantry, Hdq. 102d Div., St. Louis, Mo., will proceed about February 2, to Festus, Charleston, Poplar Bluff, Piedmont, Ironton, and Farmington, Mo., on temporary duty in connection with Citizens' Training Camps, and upon completion of this duty he will return to his proper station.

Lt. Col. Gordon Robinson, Coast Artillery Corps, will proceed about February 3, from Joplin, Mo., to Jefferson City, Mo., on a visit of instruction to units of the National Guard.

Capt. Wilson McK. Spann, Infantry, will make the annual army inspection of the 205th Infantry, Minnesota National Guard.

Capt. Frank G. Chaddock, Field Artillery, is, in addition to his other duties, detailed as summary court officer at Ottawa, Kan.

Lt. William K. Herndon, Cavalry, Kansas National Guard, is detailed as a member of a board of officers, vice Col. Milton R. McLean, Field Artillery, Kansas National Guard, relieved.

Lt. Col. Jay R. Shook, Medical Corps, will make the annual army inspection of the 110th Medical Regiment, Nebraska National Guard.

Maj. William H. Kennedy, Field Artillery, Hdq. 163d Field Artillery Brigade, Minneapolis, Minn., will proceed to the Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment, at Washington, D. C.

Capt. Frank C. Venn, Medical Corps, Richards Field Artillery, Raytown, Mo., will proceed to Omaha, Neb., on temporary duty in connection with the physical examination of officers of the Air Service Officers' Reserve Corps, and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Maj. Ephraim F. Graham, U. S. Army, retired, now on active duty at St. Joseph High School, St. Joseph, Mo., will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., reporting upon arrival for dental treatment.

Leaves—One month, effective upon completion of temporary duty at Washington, D. C., is granted Lt. Col. Alvin K. Baskette, Quartermaster Corps, these headquarters. Two months, effective upon arrival in the U. S., is granted 1st Lt. Thomas J. Ford, 17th Infantry, now under orders to proceed to this Corps Area for duty.

8TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

MAJ. GEN. ERNEST HINDS, COMDR.
Col. J. F. Preston, Chief of Staff.

Col. George S. Gibbs, Signal Corps, is announced as Signal Officer, 8th Corps Area, with station at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, relieving Maj. Roy H. Coles, Signal Corps.

Capt. Paul W. Mapes, Inf., (D.O.L.), instructor, Texas National Guard, Gonzales, Texas, accompanied by Sergeant Homer Southern, sergeant-instructor Texas National Guard, will visit the following units of the 141st Inf., on visits of instruction: Lockhart, Gonzales and Wheeler, Texas.

Maj. James J. Loving, 2d Engineers, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, is detailed on temporary duty at these headquarters in the office of the assistant chief of staff for Operations and Training.

Leaves—Three months, effective on or about June 1, 1925, is granted 1st Lt. Stanley N. Partridge, 9th Inf., Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Two months, effective on or about February 15, is granted Warrant Officer Michael A. Ross, U.S.A., Fort Sam Houston headquarters. One month and 15 days, effective on or about February 7, is granted Capt. Howard Houghland, Air Service Detachment, 12th Observation Squadron, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

9TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

MAJ. GEN. C. T. MENOHER, COMDR.
Col. A. V. P. Anderson, Chief of Staff.

Maj. Rapp Brush, Inf. (D.O.L.), is relieved from temporary duty in the office of the O.M. T.C. officer, these headquarters, effective February 15.

Maj. Marshall G. Rancol, Field Artillery (D.O.L.), instructor, California National Guard, the armory, Oakland, Calif., will make during the month of March, visits to Stockton, Lodi and Livermore, for the purpose of instruction of the National Guard Troops stationed at these points.

Capt. Donald B. Hilton, Inf. (D.O.L.), instructor, National Guard of the State of Washington, will make during the quarter ending March 31, visits to Prosser and Waller, for the purpose of instruction of the National Guard troops.

Col. Joseph S. Herron, 76th Field Artillery, now on temporary duty at San Francisco headquarters, will proceed to the Presidio of Monterey, Calif., for the purpose of making a training inspection of the 2d Battalion, 76th Field Artillery.

A board of officers to consist of Capt. Marlin C. Martin of 7th Inf. and Capt. Royal S. Loving, Medical Corps, is appointed to meet at Chilkoot Barracks, Alaska, March 3, for the purpose of conducting the entrance examination of applicants for admission to the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. James E. Bradley, 4th Inf., Fort Missoula, Mont., is directed to make the annual inspection of the National Guard troops of the State of Montana, is revoked.

2d Lt. William Harry Shields, Infantry Officer's Reserve Corps, Long Beach, Calif., with his consent, is ordered to active duty as a student officer and will report for training to the Presidio of San Francisco.

Leaves—Two months, effective upon arrival in the U. S., about May 22, is granted Lt. Col. James L. Long, Coast Artillery Corps. One month and 6 days, effective about February 15, is granted Capt. James B. Gramond, Medical Corps, Camp Lewis, Wash., up to expiration of which he will be detailed for foreign duty. One month and 10 days, effective about February 12, is granted Capt. James B. MacMullan, Coast Artillery Corps (D.O.L.), at the expiration of which he will be assigned to foreign service. One month and 20 days, effective about February 12, is granted 1st Lt. Winfield Scott, Cavalry.

One month and 10 days, effective about February 11, is granted 1st Lt. Jack C. Fuller, Veterinary Corps, Camp Lewis, Washington. At the expiration of this leave of absence he will be assigned to foreign service. One month and 11 days, effective about February 12, is granted 2d Lt. Eugene W. Ridings, 30th Infantry. Upon expiration of this leave of absence he will be assigned to foreign service.

Order to Capt. Frederick H. Sparresberger to make the annual army inspection of the National Guard troops of the State of Montana is revoked. 1st Lt. William B. Miller, 30th Inf., Presidio of San Francisco, is detailed on temporary duty at these headquarters.

PANAMA CANAL DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Quarry Heights, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone.

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM D. LASSITER, COMDR.
Col. James A. Woodruff, Chief of Staff.

Maj. Henry Abbey, Jr., Air Service, France Field, C. Z., is relieved from assignment and duty in this department, effective the day he departs. He will proceed to the U. S., on the transport sailing about February 3, for New York city. Upon arrival he will report to the commanding general, 2d Corps Area for station.

Maj. Roland H. Hollock, Judge Advocate General's Department, will proceed from Fort Amador to Fort Davis, C. Z., and upon completion of this duty will return to his proper station.

Capt. Alexander L. Morris, 33d Infantry, Fort Clayton, C. Z., is relieved from assignment and duty in this department effective the day he departs on leave of absence. Upon expiration of this, he will proceed to Cristobal, C. Z., and sail from that port about April 20 for New York city. Upon arrival in the U. S., he will report to Fort Moultrie, S. C., for duty with the Infantry.

Leave of absence for two months and one day, with permission to visit the United States, is granted 1st Lt. Kenyon P. Flagg, 65th Coast Artillery, and he is authorized to leave the department on or about May 19, 1925.

HAWAIIAN DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Honolulu, H. T.

MAJ. GEN. E. M. LEWIS, COMDR.
Col. James D. Woodruff, Chief of Staff.

Capt. Patrick E. Shea, 11th Field Artillery, now on detached service at Fort Shafter, is relieved from assignment and duty in this department, effective upon the day of his departure. He will proceed to Honolulu, sailing from that port about May 23, 1925 to San Francisco. Upon expiration of any leave which may be granted him, he will proceed to Fort Bliss, Texas, reporting to the commanding General for duty with the 82d Field Artillery.

1st Lt. Harry L. Zeller, Quartermaster Corps, is assigned to the Hawaiian Quartermaster Depot, with station in the city of Honolulu.

1st Lt. Robert V. Thomas, Quartermaster Corps, Schofield Barracks, is relieved from assignment and duty in this department effective upon the date of his departure and will proceed to Honolulu, sailing from that port about February 7 to San Francisco, Calif. Upon expiration of any leave of absence which may be granted him, he will proceed to San Francisco, reporting to the Quartermaster Supply officer, for duty as his assistant in the General Intermediate Depot.

1st Lt. Jean Edens, 27th Infantry, Schofield Barracks, is relieved from assignment and duty in this department, effective upon his departure. He will proceed to Honolulu, sailing on the transport leaving that port about April 2 for San Francisco, Calif. Upon expiration of any leave of absence which may be granted him, he will report for duty at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, with the Infantry.

PHILIPPINE DEPARTMENT

Headquarters, Manila, P. I.

MAJ. GEN. J. H. McRAE, Comdr.

Col. Guy V. Henry, Chief of Staff.

No orders received.

N.Y.A.C. WATER POLOISTS DEFEAT ANNAPOLIS TEAM

THE crack water-poloists of the New York Athletic Club won from the Naval Academy, in the opening local match by 53 to 30 at Annapolis on February 14. Faster swimming and better knowledge of teamwork and the fine points of the game, gave the visitors the victory. The Navy played hard and put up a stiff defense, particularly in the second half, but its players were often coaxed down the tank, giving an opportunity to the New Yorkers to sprint in for touch goals.

So stiff and complete was the New Yorkers' defense that the Navy was not able to score a touch goal, and they made most of their points through the accurate throwing of Coale, O'Bierne and Schands. Chillingworth, the Navy football guard, is himself a good defensive poloist.

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Orders to Officers, February 20, 1925

Comdr. C. A. Dunn, engineer officer, Navy Yard, Boston, Mass.; Lt. Comdr. G. S. Gillespie, to temp. duty involving flying, Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; W. R. Monroe, to command U.S.S. Paul Hamilton; Lts. J. W. McColl, to U.S.S. S-15; C. E. Olsen, to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.; F. W. Rasch, to U.S.S. Maryland; W. E. Smith, to U.S.S. Procyon.

Lts. (j.g.) W. R. Gaines, upon discharge from treat., Nav. Hosp., Wash., D. C.; to U.S.S. Memphis; W. L. Hickey, to U.S.S. Utah; J. L. Thompson, to U.S.S. Idaho; C. J. Marshall, to U.S.S. Henderson; J. T. Talbert, to U.S.S. California; Ens. W. L. Freseman, to 16th Nav. Dist.; S. Acker, to home; R. D. Lewis, to home; J. E. Sullivan, resignation accepted February 28, 1925; C. H. Thompson, to U.S.S. Williamson.

Lts. G. B. Kenny (M.C.), to Rec. Bks., Hampton Rds., Va.; R. A. Nolan (M.C.), to St. Thomas, Virgin Islands; G. E. Nicholas (D.C.), to Nav. Sta., Tutuila, Samoa.

Lt. Comdr. H. T. Sandlin (S.C.), continue treatment, Nav. Hosp., Washington, D. C.; Lt. C. W. Stevenson (S.C.), to U.S.S. Nitro.

Bosns. J. F. King, to U.S.S. Montcalm; Bosn. W. H. Purkins, to U.S.S. Beaver; Ch. Pay Clk. J. L. Dearmin, to U.S.S. California.

The following dispatch was received from Cinc Asiatic dated February 19, 1925:

Lt. Comdr. J. M. Doyle, Lts. J. D. Lowry, M. R. Greer, E. B. Brix, E. Anderson, Comdr. H. W. Smith (M.C.), Lt. Comdr. L. A. Odlin (S.C.), to Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.

Comdrs. J. P. Olding, to command U.S.S. Pope; C. S. Keller, to command U.S.S. Borie; A. C. Read, to continue duty Aircraft Squad 20.

Lt. Comdr. G. K. Davis, to Naval Station, Cavite; P. T. Chew, to U.S.S. Seward; A. H. Dresell, to U.S.S. W. B. Preston; E. P. Guiler, to U.S.S. Hart; E. W. Spencer, to U.S.S. Whipple; L. W. Comstock, to U.S.S. Smith Thompson; A. S. Wolfe, to U.S.S. J. D. Edwards; B. Perlman, to U.S.S. Barker.

Lts. G. W. Dugger, to U.S.S. Pampanga; W. Gearing, to U.S.S. Huron; H. W. Graf, to U.S.S. Beary; E. S. Earnhardt, to U.S.S. Rizal; H. L. Maple, to U.S.S. Black Hawk; W. C. Calhoun, to command U.S.S. Abarenda; G. W. Clark, to U.S.S. Pillsbury; J. G. Farrell, to addl. duty, command U.S.S. Heron; M. L. Lewis, to U.S.S. Hulbert; C. A. Goebel, to command Rec. Ship, Cavite.

Lts. (j.g.) H. R. Corwin, to U.S.S. Preble; J. A. Guard, to U.S.S. Smith Thompson; H. S. Dunbar, to U.S.S. Borie; D. F. Worth, to U.S.S.

Whipple; R. W. Bockius, to U.S.S. Tracy; J. T. Bottom, to U.S.S. J. D. Edwards; P. S. Slawson, to U.S.S. Whipple; W. Butler, to U.S.S. Barker; E. Pohle, to U.S.S. Wm. B. Preston; G. M. Boyes, to U.S.S. Hart; C. E. Olsen, to U.S.S. Whipple; D. W. Eberle, to U.S.S. Peary; W. R. Mills, H. L. Meadow, to U.S.S. Borie; C. R. Todd, to U.S.S. Smith Thompson; S. H. Ingersoll, to U.S.S. Borie; W. S. G. Davis, to U.S.S. Tracy; T. G. Murrell, to U.S.S. Barker.

Ens. O. R. Sutherland, to U.S.S. Steward; H. E. Orem, to U.S.S. Wm. B. Preston; J. Y. Danenburgh, to U.S.S. Peary; H. M. Kelly, to U.S.S. Truxton; J. E. Shomler, to U.S.S. Pillsbury; R. A. MacKeracher, to U.S.S. Seward; C. R. Miller, to U.S.S. Truxton; W. E. Guilar, to U.S.S. Seward; W. A. Fly, to U.S.S. Preble.

Comdr. S. E. Barber (S.C.), to U.S.S. Black Hawk; Lts. S. B. Deal (S.C.), to Nav. Sta., Cavite; S. E. Smith (S.C.), to Rec. Ship, Cavite; J. M. Easter, (S.C.), relieved Rec. Ship, Cavite; continue Rec. Ship Cavite, Ocs. 1-26-25 revoked; Lt. (j.g.) J. M. Silke (S.C.), to Dest. Div. 38; Lt. Comdr. A. N. Park (Ch.C.) to Nav. Sta., Cavite; and Lt. E. W. Davis (Ch.C.), to U.S.S. Black Hawk.

Orders to Officers, February 21, 1925

Comdrs. R. S. Holmes, to command Div. 32, Dest. Squads, Battle Fleet; C. E. Smith, to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; Lt. Comdr. F. M. Collier, to executive officer, U.S.S. Pueblo; M. Kelly, to gunnery officer, U.S.S. Colorado; T. L. McCauley, to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Lts. J. J. Graham, to office of Judge Advocate General, Navy Dept., Ocs. January 22, 1925, revoked; J. Hall, to home; J. A. Rogers, to executive officer, Rec. Ship, Puget Sound, Wash.

Lts. (j.g.) N. B. Hopkins, to c.f.o., U.S.S. T-3; F. O. Johnson, to c.f.o., U.S.S. S-48; Ens. P. S. Thomson, relieved all active duty; to home.

Lt. Comdr. D. H. Noble (M.C.), to aide and Sqd. Med. Off. on staff, Comdr. Dest. Squads, Scg. Flt.; Lt. T. S. Moring (M.C.), to Nav. Hosp., Pearl Harbor, T. H.; Lt. (j.g.) C. M. Dumbauld (M.C.), to duty Nav. Hosp., Great Lakes, Ill.; Ch. Bosn. P. H. Biers, to U.S.S. Quail; Ch. Gun. W. J. Creelman, to Navy Yard, Third Nav. Dist.; Ch. Gun. C. S. Schepke, to Nav. Torp. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Gun. G. F. Little, to U.S.S. Richmond; Ch. Machs. E. L. Keene, to U.S.S. Savannah; J. F. Matsch, to U.S.S. Seagull; G. W. Robbins, to U.S.S. Seagull; Ch. Carp. J. S. Jones, to U.S.S. Henderson.

MARINE CORPS

Maj. Gen. J. A. Lejeune, Commandant

February 19, 1925

Lt. Col. T. C. Turner, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; Maj. E. H. Brainerd, to the Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Dept., Wash., D. C.; E. M. Reno, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.

Second Lts. E. E. Linsert, to M.B., Quantico, Va.; J. S. Monahan, detached M.B., Quantico, Va., and ordered to duty at the American Legation, Tokyo, Japan, as language student M. B. Twining, F. D. Weir and L. R. Kline, to Department of the Pacific; R. S. Viall, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.; 2d Lts. V. W. Davidson, A. R. Bourne, W. E. Lee and V. H. Darrt, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.

February 20, 1925

Capt. W. T. H. Galliford, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.; 1st Lt. H. F. Adickes, to Gendarmerie d' Haiti; 2d Lts. W. I. Jordan, to Department of the Pacific; G. A. Williams, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.

The following are appointed second lieutenants in the Marine Corps and assigned to duty at the Marine Barracks, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.: M. R. Carroll, F. A. Stephenson, H. L. Litzenberg, Jr., W. S. Brown, S. S. Ballentine, T. B. Millard, D. K. Claude, A. L. Gardner, J. P. S. Devereux and R. C. Orrison.

February 21, 1925

No orders were announced.

February 24, 1925

Capt. T. M. Luby, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.; 1st Lt. E. Selby, to M.B., Nrd., Washington, D. C.; 2d Lts. T. M. Ryan, to M.B., to Parris Island, S. C.; J. M. Smith, to M.C.B., N.O.B., San Diego, Calif.

February 25, 1925

Col. J. S. Turrill, to Haiti, upon arrival to report to Senior Officer Present, for duty; Capt. W. P. T. Hill and W. C. Byrd, to Marine Detachment, American Legation, Managua, Nicaragua; 1st Lt. J. D. Colony, to Rectg. District of Indianapolis, Ind.; 2d Lt. J. W. Lakso, to M.B., N.A.S., Lakehurst, N.J.

COAST GUARD NOTES

AN examining board (Commander J. F. Hottel, Lt. Comdr. G. C. Alexander, and Ens. A. C. Richmond) for the appointment of temporary warrant officers from among the candidates who took the examination on February 16, is now holding its sessions at Headquarters.

SPERRY gyro-compasses will be installed on the Tampa and Modoc at the Boston Navy Yard prior to their sailing on ice patrol duty.

U. S. COAST GUARD

Secretary of the Treasury—A. W. Mellon
Assistant Secretary—McKenzie Moss
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Lieutenant Commander S. S. Yeandle, Aide to Commandant

COAST GUARD GAZETTE

Comdr. (E) J. B. Turner, assigned Mojave temporarily; Lt. Comdr. (E) M. N. Usina, assigned Seneca; Ens. (E) E. C. Saratt, assigned Modoc; (T) C. D. Feak, assigned Destroyer Force, Philadelphia; (T) R. H. Farey, assigned Seminole.

Bosns. (T) L. E. Parker detached Cook, assigned C.G.-140 Section Base 3; (L) R. W. Hodge, detached Lake View Beach Station, assigned Headquarters; (L) E. W. Snydam, detached Rocky Point Station, assigned Rockaway Point Station (Fourth District).

Carp. (T) A. E. Lawrence, resigned, effective March 1, 1925.

Gun. H. E. Smith, retired on February 10, 1925, in view of physical disability.

D. C. WEST POINTERS TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

ARRANGEMENTS are being made by graduates of the United States Military Academy residing in Washington and vicinity to hold the annual anniversary dinner on March 21. The place where the dinner will be held will be announced in the near future.

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PERSONAL CALENDAR

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM CROZIER, U.S.A., retired, former Chief of Ordnance, is reported to be suffering from a broken leg as the result of being thrown from his horse while riding in the legation bridge path at Peking, China, on February 23. He was taken to the Rockefeller hospital. General and Mrs. Crozier recently arrived in Peking for a visit.

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM R. SMITH, U.S.A., who will take command of the Hawaiian Division, sailed from San Francisco for Honolulu on the Army transport Cambrai on February 18. General Smith was accompanied by Mrs. Smith, his son and daughter, and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ella P. Davis.

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT H. ALLEN, U.S.A., who succeeds General Farnsworth as Chief of Infantry, and Mrs. Allen were the guests of honor at a farewell dinner given by fourteen former officers of the 29th Infantry who are now all stationed at Fort Leavenworth. General Allen himself served for about fourteen years, in the 29th Infantry.

BRIG. GEN. EDWARD J. WESTCOTT, U.S.A., the Adjutant General of New York, will attend the School for Adjutants General at Washington, D. C., for the term beginning March 5.

COL. NEWBOLD MORRIS, Field Art., O.R.C., who resides at 115 East 73d street, New York city, has been detailed as an additional member of the General Staff of the Army, Washington, D. C., effective March 15, and will be on duty for a month.

COL. H. O. WILLIARD, U.S.A., retired, who has been visiting his cousin, Mr. S. Herbert Giesy in Washington, has returned to his ranch near Lewistown, Mont.

COL. TENNEY ROSS, U.S.A., who relinquished command of the 65th Infantry on January 31. Lt. Col. Samuel W. Noyes, U.S.A., assuming command; sailed the same day, with Mrs. Ross, on the Army transport St. Mihiel for the United States. The regiment was formed on the seawall off El Morro Castle by Lt. Col. Noyes, U.S.A., assuming command, sailed Morro the band played the regimental march, the command stood at attention and the regimental colors were dipped. The enlisted men of the regiment sought to express their appreciation of the many kindnesses of Mrs. Ross and Miss Betsy Ross by the presentation of a silver tea service. The officers and ladies of the regiment presented Col. and Mrs. Ross with four silver candle sticks and a silver tray. Miss Betsy Ross left Porto Rico in September to complete her studies at the University of Illinois. Col. Ross had been with the regiment since March, 1922.

COL. GUSTAVE PORGES, Q.M., O.R.C., and Mrs. Porges sailed February 14 for a two months' visit abroad.

COL. THOMAS J. KIRKPATRICK, U.S.A., retired, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick of Alexandria, Va., are guests of relatives in Lynchburg.

COL. CHARLES JAKES, Q.M., O.R.C., of Chicago, accompanied by his wife and daughter, sailed from New York February 10, for a six weeks' stay in the south of France.

COL. GOUVERNEUR PACKER, U. S. A., and Mrs. Packer have as their guests at the Presidio of San Francisco, Mrs. Packer's mother and sister, Mrs. John M. Vance and Miss Etta Vance of Eureka, Calif.

LT. COL. JOHN M. THOMPSON, O. R. C., in a talk to members of the Old Canteen, Inc., composed of disabled soldiers, at a dinner at their club house at 51 Irving place, New York city, February 18, told the men, "We cannot annihilate war by annihilating the Army." The only way to prevent war, he said, was to be prepared. The club's work was praised by Justice James C. Cropley, Joseph A. Lawson and Brig. Gen. G. A. Wingate, Mr. Harry J. Walsh presided.

MAJOR CHARLES S. BLAKELY, F. A., executive officer for the Chief of Field Artillery, and Mrs. Blakely, left Washington last week for a three weeks' sojourn in Florida. The duties of Major Blakely will be taken over by Major John A. Crane, F.A., chief of the personnel section of this office.

MAJ. GEORGE EDWARDS, U.S.A., and Mrs. Edwards, who sailed from San Francisco for the East coast on the Chateau Thierry on January 23, were the guests of honor at a bridge-breakfast given by Mrs. James M. Kennedy, wife of Col. Kennedy, commanding the Letterman General Hospital, just prior to their departure. The affair was held in the Woman's Athletic Club in San Francisco.

MAJ. EDWARD A. STOCKTON, C.A. C., U.S.A., who is on a tour of inspection through the Fourth Corps Area, was the guest of honor of the officers of the 545th Coast Artillery at a dinner at Holmes' Restaurant, New Orleans, on February 14. Maj. Stockton spoke briefly on the plans for training for the Organized Reserve for the summer of 1925, and of the new anti-aircraft material contemplated and under construction. The guests were Lt. Col. L. S. Edwards, executive officer of the 545th; Majs. A. B. Cox, J. W. Riley, C. F. Haddon, R. L. A. Indest; Capts. C. A. Crosby, H. W. Porter, L. Levy, J. E. Chenet, R. W. Bradford; 1st Lts. E. R. Mabry, D. E. McDonald, R. Wiegand, and 2d Lts. H. H. Burton and C. J. Hutson.

MAJ. AND MRS. HENRY CHURCH PILLSBURY, who have been guests of Col. and Mrs. Wood, 1869 Wyoming avenue, parents of Mrs. Pillsbury, left Washington Saturday for their new station, Fort Sam Houston, Tex. They have many old friends in their new station, and will be the house guests for a few days of Col. and Mrs. J. J. Miller of 217 Cavalry Post.

MAJ. JESSE GASTON, U.S.A., recently returned to Atlanta, Ga., from an extended trip through Florida, where he visited Sarasota, Palm Beach and other places of interest.

CAPT. S. W. ANDERSON, C.A.C., U.S.A., who has been under treatment at the Letterman General Hospital since his arrival in the United States from Honolulu about three months ago, has been assigned to the 6th Coast Artillery at Fort Winfield Scott, Calif.

CAPT. JOSEPH L. PHILLIPS, Cav. (D.O.L.), executive officer of the 322d Cavalry, 66th Cav. Div., has returned to duty at Des Moines, Iowa, following a three months' leave of absence spent with Mrs. Phillips and small daughter, Margaret, at the home of Capt. Phillips' mother in Thibodaux, La. Mrs. Phillips and daughter will remain in Louisiana for the winter.

CAPT. FRENCH C. SIMPSON, U.S.A., of Langley Field, Va., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. George L. Simpson, at the Fairfax, Alexandria, Va. Capt. Simpson will leave shortly for his new station at San Juan, Porto Rico.

FIRST LT. EDWARD F. HAHN and 2d Lt. F. H. Doherty, 174th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., will attend the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga., from February 28 to May 29, inclusive.

LT. FRANK SEIFERT, U.S.A., who recently resigned from the Army Air Service, has become a member of the Southern California Mortgage Company and the Schirm Commercial Company of San Diego, Calif.

LT. C. R. FARMER, U.S.A., Mrs. Farmer and their daughters, Audrey and Nan, have left Fort Thomas for a visit with Lt. Farmer's parents in Bentonville, Ark., before sailing for the Philippines, where Lt. Farmer has been ordered for duty.

LT. ROSWELL H. HARRIMAN, U.S. A., of Fort Hayes, Ohio, who recently resigned from the Service, has left for New York city, where he will be associated with the Harriman National Bank.

LT. AND MRS. KENNETH MCGREGOR and their young son, Jack, have arrived in Washington from their former post in Texas, and are established in North Cathedral Mansions until April, when they will go to Panama.

MRS. EVA WILBY HAYES, widow of Col. Jack Hayes, O.M.C., who died suddenly January 10, 1925, while on duty at Harrisburg, Pa., and her son, Jack, jr., will continue to reside at 1831 Belmont road, N.W., Washington, D. C.

KATHERINE HAYDEN (REED), who is playing in "Rain" will return to Washington, D. C., March 1, when the play will open for a week's run in that city. Miss Hayden was formerly with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in motion pictures, and later played in "The Boomerang" and in "The Sable Cloak." She has received much praise for her delightful portrayals of exceptional and interesting characters. She is the wife of Col. William L. Reed, Inf., U.S.A., who is now on duty with the Organized Reserve in Wisconsin.

LT. GOV. SEYMOUR LOWMAN of New York will represent the State at the civil and military ceremonies at Washington incident to the inauguration of the President of the United States on March 4.

MISS MARIE AND CHRISTINE THOMPSON, who have made their home in Annapolis for a number of years, left recently for Long Beach, Calif., to join their sister and brother-in-law, Comdr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Van Auker.

MISS ELIZABETH HUMPHREY, who has been spending some time in Asheville, N. C., has returned to her home in Fort McPherson, Georgia.

MISS MARY KING of Atlanta, Ga., was a recent guest of Major and Mrs. King at Fort Benning, Ga.

MISS M. DEMPSEY AND MRS. K. G. LEWIS, daughter and sister of Col. W. D. Dempsey, Q.M., O.R.C., of New York city, are spending the winter in southern France and Egypt.

MISS CHARLOTTE MERRIAM, daughter of Col. H. C. Merriam, G.S., arrived in Atlanta February 25 for a month's visit.

MISS MARGARET S. REILLY of Chicago was the honor guest at a luncheon given by her brother, Brig. Gen. Henry J. Reilly, O.R.C., at the Mayflower hotel, Washington, D. C., on February 22. The other guests were Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Dennis E. Nolan, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Fox Conner, Brig. Gen. G. A. L. Dumont, French military attache, and Maj. and Mrs. Richard C. Burleson.

MISS JANET MOFFETT, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. William A. Moffett, left Washington February 16 for Charleston, S. C., where she will be the guest for the early spring of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Moffett.

MRS. JOSEPH E. KUHN was "at home" February 6 to all the officers and ladies stationed at Vancouver Barracks and vicinity. Mrs. Willey Howell, Mrs. Edward May, Mrs. Edward V. MacAtee and Mrs. Arthur H. Wolf assisted Mrs. Kuhn. Music was furnished by the Seventh Infantry orchestra.

MRS. SCHAEFFER, wife of Lt. Comdr. John L. Schaffer has returned from a visit in New York, and will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Tarbell, at the Hotel Somerset, Boston, Mass., until Lt. Comdr. Schaffer returns from his present duties in China as aide to Rear Adm. McVay.

MRS. BRAINARD, wife of Comdr. Roland Brainard, U.S.N., was the guest of honor at a bridge party given by Mrs. Seymour, wife of Lt. Comdr. Seymour, U.S.N., at Annapolis on February 17.

MRS. ROBERT COONTZ and daughter, Miss Bertha Coontz, have arrived at San Diego, where Mrs. Coontz will be the house guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Coontz, for a few days, and Miss Coontz will be a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. R. Howard. Upon the arrival of Admiral Coontz they will establish their residence in Coronado, where they will remain until the fleet sails for Honolulu.

MRS. W. B. CRARY, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Col. and Mrs. H. A. Webber in Fort McPherson.

MRS. MYRTLE BERTHELETT of Walla Walla and Seattle, Wash., is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. Frank E. Berthelett, at their home on Peachtree Hill place in Atlanta.

THE Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Curtis D. Wilbur, in a letter from the Secretary of State, dated February 20, has been commended for the skill, the loyalty and the carefulness of the public interest with which the Navy Department has carried to a conclusion the scrapping of vessels required to be demolished under the treaty limiting naval armament. Secretary Hughes says, in part, "This work has, I realize, called for the most careful and judicious planning, and I feel that the way in which it has been carried out is worthy of the fine traditions of our naval service."

REAR ADM. HENRY B. WILSON, U.S.N., was the guest of honor at a farewell dinner given by the regiment of midshipmen in Bancroft Hall, Annapolis, on February 16. Thirty midshipmen, chosen to represent the regiment, attended the dinner.

REAR ADM. FREDERICK BILLARD, commandant of the U. S. Coast Guard, was a guest of the Corinthian Yacht club at its annual banquet, held in the City Club, Washington, D. C., on February 21.

REAR ADM. CHARLES P. PLUNKETT, U.S.N., speaking at dinner of the Sons of the American Revolution at the Hotel Plaza, New York city, on February 23, declared that there is no militarism in this country and no bolshevism. "We teach in the Navy, as in the Army, that all men are created equal, and we turn out good citizens," continued the Admiral. "Our discipline is what America needs. Every dollar spent on the Army and Navy is the best expenditure ever made by the United States Government." He criticized the newspapers for keeping the subject of militarism constantly before the public, poisoning the minds of the people, as he expressed it, and said the question of muzzling the press would come in time.

REAR ADM. VICTOR BLUE, U.S.N., and Mrs. Blue, whose son will graduate in the Class of 1925 of the U. S. Naval Academy, have leased a house in Annapolis for the spring months, and will remain there until after the June Week festivities.

COMMODORE LOUIS M. JOSEPH-THAL, commanding the New York Naval Militia, was honored with a review of the 258th Field Artillery, N.Y.N.G., Col. Elmore F. Austin, commanding. The review was given in the armory of the 258th F.A., at 29 West Kingsbridge road, New York city, on February 20. The Commodore, who was accompanied by Comdr. Robert C. Lee, Comdr. L. W. Hesselman, Lt. Comdr. H. W. York, Lt. Comdr. C. C. Kimball, and Lt. Arthur Sesselberg, N.M., greatly enjoyed the ceremony, and complimented Col. Austin on the appearance of his command. Commodore Josephthal also reviewed the First Battalion of New York Naval Militia aboard its floating armory, the U.S.S. Illinois on February 24. He was very much pleased with the showing made by the battalion and with the improved quarters now available for its use. The battalion is under command of Lt. Comdr. Richard Condon.

CAPT. FREDERICK A. TRAUT, U. S. N., and Mrs. Traut have as their guest at the Norfolk Naval Base Mrs. Frank Traut of New Britain, Conn. Miss Eleanor Traut has left for a month's trip to the West Indies.

COMDR. F. V. McNAIR, U.S.N., who recently spent some time with his family in Annapolis, has returned to his ship, the U.S.S. Rochester.

LT. COMDR. J. F. FARLEY, U.S.C.G., has reported at Coast Guard headquarters in Washington, and has assumed duties as Ordnance Officer, relieving Lt. Comdr. F. A. Zeuser, U.S.C.G.

BTSN. J. W. ELDRIDGE, U.S.C.G., retired, who since his retirement in 1916 has been residing in Cape May, was a visitor at Coast Guard headquarters on February 14.

AMONG the passengers scheduled to sail from San Francisco for Honolulu on the Army transport Cambrai, February 18, were Col. and Mrs. A. N. McClure, Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. S. Wood, Maj. A. Fletcher and family, Cpts. C. H. Jabelonsky and family, L. T. Miller and family, P. V. Kellogg and family, Lt. Swentzell and family, Cpts. R. W. Patterson and C. S. Williams, 1st Lts. C. V. Finter, D. T. Johnson and family, F. B. Wieners and son, C. L. Morse and family, H. A. McGinnis and family, H. H. Carr and family, F. T. Madigan and family, H. A. Craig and family.

ENTERTAINMENTS

MAJ. GEN. AND MRS. CHARLES MCK. SALTZMAN entertained at dinner at the Willard Hotel in Washington on February 13, in honor of the Chief of Cavalry and Mrs. Malin Craig, later attending the Army dance. The other guests were Col. and Mrs. William Glasgow, Col. and Mrs. Irving Hunt, Col. and Mrs. R. U. Patterson, Col. and Mrs. A. C. Voris, Col. and Mrs. G. E. Kump, Col. and Mrs. Ryoden Beebe, Maj. and Mrs. Lawrence Watts and Maj. and Mrs. O. S. Albright.

COMDR. AND MRS. BRUCE R. WARE entertained at a dinner party at their quarters at the Norfolk Navy Yard on February 12, in honor of the members of the Departmental Inspection Board, who are now making an inspection of the Norfolk Navy Yard. Their guests included Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Tompkins, Capt. and Mrs. Henry Williams, Capt. R. E. Pope, commander and Mrs. Paul Reed, commander and Mrs. C. W. Fisher.

MANY distinguished military men and civilians attended the dinner in honor of Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, U.S.A., at the Hotel Plaza, New York city, February 17.

Maj. Gen. John F. O'Ryan presided and the speakers who all eulogized General Summerall, were: Dr. John H. Finley, who also related his experiences with General Allenby in the Palestine campaign; Col. Herbert Parsons, the Rev. P. B. Clayton and the Rev. M. P. A. Leonard. Others at the speakers table were: Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, Maj. Gen. R. L. Bullard, Brig. Gen. W. M. Graves, Brig. Gen. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Brig. Gen. J. R. Delafield. General Summerall in some remarks lauded New York for its hospitality to its military forces.

MAJ. AND MRS. M. J. HICKOK entertained at a dinner at their quarters at Fort McPherson, Ga., preceding the hop at the Officers' Club on February 13. Their guests included Col. and Mrs. D. W. Ryther, Col. F. E. Johnston, Col. and Mrs. Melville Q. Jorns and their house guests, Mrs. A. W. Rapp and Miss Mary Virginia Rapp; Col. and Mrs. L. O. Mathews, Maj. and Mrs. Martin C. Shallenberger, Mrs. Howard Priest, Maj. and Mrs. R. T. Cox, Maj. and Mrs. Boyd Clapham, Maj. F. T. Stockton of Washington, D. C.; Maj. H. W. Keeley, Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Leard, Capt. and Mrs. Clyde C. Johnston, Lt. C. E. Henry, Lt. L. V. Duffree and Miss Isabelle Mathews.

STUDENTS at the Army Industrial College, the instructors assigned thereto, and the officers and their wives on duty in the office of the Assistant Secretary of War's office, gave a dinner dance at the Columbia Country Club on February 23.

ENGAGEMENTS

WALKER-SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerrish Smith of Bethlehem Pa., and New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Dent, to Lt. Theo. F. C. Walker, U.S.N.

SERVICE WEDDINGS

BURDETTE-HANNAN. Stanley T. Burdette, chief pharmacist's mate, U. S.N., on duty at the Naval hospital in San Diego, Calif., and Miss Ollie Hannan, formerly of Kansas City, Mo., were married in San Diego on January 21, 1925, the ceremony being performed by Chap. T. L. Wood, U.S.N.

FUGATE-BLINN. The marriage at Indianapolis, Ind., of Mrs. Elma W. Blinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Winks of 604 East Boone St., Frankfort, Ind., to Mr. Harry D. Fugate, Warrant Officer, U.S.A., headquarters, Fifth Corps Area, Fort Hayes, Ohio, took place January 20 at the home of Mr. Charles Winks, 33 North Gladstone, Indianapolis, a brother of Mrs. Blinn. Immediate relatives only were present. Mr. and Mrs. Fugate are at home at 19 West First avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

KEY-WRIGHT. The marriage of Miss Marjorie Wright, daughter of Maj. Gen. William Mason Wright, U.S.A., retired and Mrs. Wright, to Mr. David McKendree Key took place in St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, Washington, D.

C., on February 7. The ceremony was performed by the rector, the Rev. Dr. Robert Johnston, and was followed by a reception at the Metropolitan Club annex. The decorations in the church were of palms and white roses, and for the reception afterward palms and cut flowers were used.

The bride wore a costume of white and silver brocade made with long sleeves and a circular skirt and no trimming. Her court train was of silver cloth and rose point lace, and she wore a veil of rose point lace, an heirloom in her family. The veil was held by a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried white lilacs, gardenias and lilies of the valley.

She was attended by Mrs. Sidney Scott of Wilmington, Del., as matron of honor. The bridesmaids included Miss Eleanor Thompson of Wilmington, Miss Eleanor Martin of Burlingame, Calif., and Miss Anna Hamlin, Miss Olyve Graef, Miss Lindsay Wood and Miss Louise Sewall of Washington.

Mr. Malcolm Bradley of Boston was best man, and the ushers included Mr. Everett N. Case, Plainfield, N. J.; Mr. Covington Janin, San Francisco; Mr. Lawrence Terry, Debbam, Mass.; Mr. H. F. Colt, New York; Mr. S. Kay Johnson, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mr. Ellery Sedgewick, New York; Mr. John N. Brown, Providence, R. I.; Mr. William D. Howe, Boston; Mr. H. H. Hackney, Uniontown, Pa.; Mr. John Crocker, Fitchburg, Mass.; Mr. Keith Kane, Marion, Mass.; Mr. Thomas West, Hopedale, Mass., and Mr. E. F. Christian, Mr. William M. Wright, Jr., and Lt. Jerauld Wright of Washington.

General and Mrs. Wright received with the wedding party after the ceremony, the latter wearing tan crepe with a brown hat.

Later, Mr. and Mrs. Key left for a wedding trip, the bride traveling in a gown of green silk with a long gray coat trimmed with squirrel fur and a green felt hat.

Among the out-of-town guests were Commodore Albert Key, father of the bridegroom; his grandmother, Mrs. Garrett Andrews, and his aunt, Mrs. James Johnston of Chattanooga, Tenn.; another aunt, Mrs. S. H. Vallance of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gray and their daughter, Mrs. Emmett Cooper, of Nashville, Tenn.

PYLE-WEEKS. A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Lt. Col. Charles W. Weeks, U.S.A., and Mrs. Weeks on January 30, when their daughter, Margaret, became the bride of Lt. Charles A. Pyle of the 11th Field Artillery. The bride was becomingly attired in a blue traveling dress with hat to match. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Phoebe Weeks, who acted as bridesmaid and wore a frock of fawn flat crepe. The bridegroom was attended by Lt. Frank A. Hennig, Jr., as best man. Chaplain William L. Fisher officiated. Later in the day Lt. and Mrs. Pyle left for the island of Hawaii, where they will spend February on their honeymoon.

SKIPWITH-MAYO. Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Wilkins announce the marriage of their sister, Mrs. Kate Harris Mayo, to Comdr. Grey Skipworth, S.C., U.S.N., retired. The wedding took place in Washington, D. C., on February 7.

VAN INGEN-ORR. Capt. J. Van Ingen, S.C., and Mrs. Hannah Orr of St. Louis, Mo., were married at the bride's home in Webster Grove on February 6, the ceremony being performed by the bridegroom's father, Rev. J. C. Van Ingen of Newark, N. J. The wedding was a quiet affair with only a few intimate friends present.

BIRTHS

BOOTH—Maj. Lucian D. Booth, Ord. Dept., U. S.A., and Mrs. Booth announce the birth of a daughter, Louisa Frances, at the Brookline Lying-in Hospital, 35 Addison Road, Brookline, Mass., on February 10, 1925.

HEATH—Lt. J. M. Heath, U.S.A., and Mrs. Heath of Cambridge, Mass., announce the birth of a son on February 11, 1925.

MARSTON—Capt. Oliver F. Marston, U.S.A., and Mrs. Marston announce the birth of a son, Frank Rutherford, on December 20, 1924, at Phillips House, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston.

RABORG—Born to Mrs. W. A. Raborg, wife of Maj. Raborg, Field Art., U.S.A., at Fort Sill, Okla., a daughter, Elizabeth.

WARE—Lt. Col. James E. Ware, U.S.A., retired, and Mrs. Ware announce the birth of a son, James Edwin, Jr., on January 27, 1925. Colonel Ware is professor of Military Science and Tactics at the University of Georgia, Athens, Ga. Colonel and Mrs. Ware also have a little daughter now 22 months old.

OBITUARIES

BATHURST—Charles W., at Williamsport, Pa., on February 6, 1925. Mr. Bathurst was a veteran of the Spanish-American War, holding the grade of captain at that time.

He is survived by his widow, and three sons, Capt. Robert M. Bathurst, F.A., stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., 1st Lt. Chas. R. Bathurst, Engr., stationed at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, and Mr. Earl L. Bathurst of Williamsport, Pa.

GREER—Mrs. Mary G. Greer, widow of Col. John E. Greer, Ordnance Dept., U.S. Army, died on January 28, 1925, at her home, 782 Valley street, Orange, N. J. Mrs. Greer was born in North East, Pa., on May 18, 1846. She was a graduate of Packer Collegiate Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1867. Since the death of her husband on Governors Island, in 1907, Mrs. Greer has been living in Orange and has always kept in touch with her Army friends. She is survived by her two daughters, the Misses Mary and Elsie Greer.

HAWLEY—With the passing of Rear Admiral John Mitchell Hawley, U. S. Navy at his residence in Washington, D. C. on February 9, 1925, ended the career of a distinguished Naval officer of the older school.

Born in Northampton, Massachusetts July 28, 1846, he graduated from the Naval Academy in 1868. Having seen active service afloat as a midshipman during the Civil War he was made a member of the Loyal Legion of America and was vice-commander of that society at the time of his death.

Admiral Hawley made three surveys of the Isthmus, two in Nicaragua and one in Panama. He served four years in the Coast and Geodetic Survey, commanding the schooners George M. Bache, Earnest and Silliman, and the steamer Bache. He was executive officer of the U. S. S. Nipsic at the time of the Samoan hurricane of 1889, and received a vote of thanks from the legislature of Massachusetts for the saving of that ship and crew. While on the China Station he was in command of the U. S. S. Detroit.

He put the Hartford in commission at Mare Island, sailed her around Cape Horn and then made a European cruise in her. He commanded the U. S. S. Brooklyn for three years, during which time he brought the remains of John Paul Jones back to this country from France. He was decorated by the French Government with a medal of the Legion of Honor.

At the outbreak of the Spanish War, Admiral Hawley was given charge of recruiting in the Middle West. It was at this time that he conceived the idea of establishing a Naval Training Station on the Great Lakes. At the close of the war he was presented a jeweled sword.

His last active duty was the command of the Receiving Ship Wabash at Boston. He was retired at his own request in 1907 after twenty-two years of sea service.

Admiral Hawley was buried at Arlington, Va. on February 12 with full military honors. He is survived by his widow, who was Ella S. Moore, and one daughter, Mrs. Lesley B. Anderson, wife of Commander Anderson at present on duty at the Naval Academy.

PARKER—Brig. Gen. Daingerfield Parker, 92 years old, Infantry, U.S.A., died at Washington, D. C., on February 24 after a brief illness. He entered the Army in 1860 and was elevated to captain of the old Regular Third Infantry, U.S.A., in 1861. Funeral services were at the residence, the Rev. Hubert Smith, rector of St. Margaret's Episcopal church, officiating. Interment, with military honors, was in Arlington Cemetery.

General Parker was born at New Rochelle, N. Y., May 22, 1832. He married Miss Amelia Nisbet, of Philadelphia, in 1861, about the time he entered the military service. In the Civil War he served with the famous Third Infantry at Gettysburg, first and second battles of Bull Run, Antietam, Sharpsburg and Chancellorsville, and was breveted for service at Gettysburg.

When General Jubal Cain Early threatened Washington, General Parker was in command of Fort Slocum. When the famous "Cherokee Strip" in Oklahoma was opened he was in command of the troops guarding the surging tide of settlers in the rush for Indian lands.

In the Roosevelt administration he and other colonels were given co-ordinate rank and retired pay of brigadiers general, U. S. A., retired, by the act of Congress of April 23, 1904.

He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Loyal Legion,

Society of Patriots and Founders, National Geographic Society, Virginia Society of the Cincinnati, American Bison Society, the Society of Colonial Wars and the Metropolitan club.

He is survived by several nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and grand-nephews, including Mrs. Edward Winder, of Baltimore; Thornton and Jay Parker of Washington, D. C.

RICE—Col. Sedgwick Rice, who retired from the service March 25, 1924, died at Fort Brown, Texas, February 15. Colonel Rice was born in St. Paul, Minn., March 25, 1860, and was appointed a second lieutenant in the 22d Infantry on October 10, 1883, from the State of Minnesota. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal "for especially meritorious services in action against hostile Indians near the Catholic Mission on White Clay Creek, South Dakota, December 30, 1890."

RANDOLPH—Mrs. Virginia Bayard, widow of the late Lt. Col. John Field Randolph, Medical Corps, U. S. Army, died at Charleston, S. C., January 28, 1925. She is survived by three sons and two daughters: Mr. Bayard Randolph, Dr. Harrison Randolph, Lt. Col. John Randolph, U. S. A.; Mrs. Mary R. Pelzer and Mrs. Jane R. Harrison. Interment at Princeton, N. J.

SINCLAIR—Capt. John B. Sinclair, on duty with 18th Infantry at Fort Slocum, N. Y., died February 16. He was a graduate of the Infantry School Co. Officers' Course, 1923. During the World War he served in France and participated in engagements on the Somme front and also in engagements of the 2d Division near Chateau Thierry.

WARNER—2d Lt. Duane Grant Warner, on duty at Selfridge Field, Mich., died in the hospital at Mt. Clemens, Mich., on January 23, from the effects of injuries received in an airplane accident which occurred January 19. Lt. Warner entered the Army as a private, April 22, 1919, and received his appointment as a 2d lieutenant in the Air Service on June 14, 1924. George W. Warner, 29 Circular avenue, New Haven, Conn., is the nearest relative to the deceased.

WILSON—Maj. Gen. James Harrison Wilson, U. S. A., retired, last of the corps commanders in the Union Army in the Civil War, died at Wilmington, Del., on February 23. Gen. Wilson, who was 87, had been ill several months.

General Wilson was the last member of General Grant's staff. He was famous as the captor of Jefferson Davis and was one of the best known of the cavalry generals in the Union Army. While at the head of 15,000 mounted men, he conducted the campaign through Alabama and Georgia known in Civil War history as "Wilson's raid."

General Wilson retired from the military service in 1870 to devote his time to railroad work, only to return to the Army in the Spanish-American War and the Boxer campaign in China.

When the Spanish War started General Wilson was appointed a major general of volunteers and commanded the Sixth Army Corps. He accompanied the military expedition to Porto Rico and was appointed military governor of the island. He remained in command of Ponce and South-eastern Porto Rico until ordered home. He served in the Army of occupation in Cuba in command of the department of Matanzas and Santa Clara and was honorably mustered out of the volunteer service.

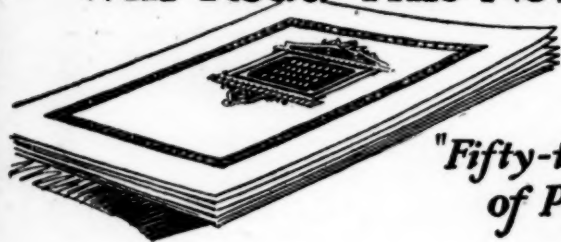
In recognition of his long military career, Gen. Wilson was appointed in February, 1901, a brigadier general of the Regular Army by act of Congress and was retired for age shortly afterward.

General Wilson volunteered and commanded a division of General Chaffee's army in China at the time of the Boxer campaign, and while his forces did not engage in any battles, they rendered efficient service in overcoming the disorderly elements and restoring peace and order. On January 14, 1902, President Roosevelt appointed him a member of the special embassy to represent the United States at the coronation of King Edward VII.

Among General Wilson's writings were the biographies of Gen. Andrew T. Alexander, General McCook and Gen. John A. Rawlins, in addition to that of General Grant. His travels in China, where he was engaged in railroad work, resulted in his writing "China: Travels and Investigations in the Middle Kingdom." He was also the author of "Under the Old Flag," a book of reminiscences.

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BY RAYMOND V. SYKES

The long expected halt in the upward movement of security and commodity prices has come about. The grain market was the first to register the check, wheat breaking approximately 28 cents a bushel from the high of \$2.05 established in January. A moderate rally followed this sharp setback, but the entire performance was convincing enough to the most ardent bull that the market has reached its top for the time being, at least, and a correction of the technical position is necessary if the high prices are to be maintained.

Practically the same sort of a situation developed later in the stock market. After establishing a new high price of 111 (New York Times Averages) the 50 stocks comprising the index broke to 106. The pace in both the stock and the grain market was too fast to be maintained for very long and had long since exceeded the expectations held at the outset. Since election, some 150,000,000 shares have changed hands on the New York Stock Exchange alone, representing an enhancement in value of considerably over \$1,000,000,000.

While business has improved decidedly since last summer and the outlook fundamentally remains generally satisfactory, the movement of prices in the stock market has discounted pretty fully the betterment. Whether or not still higher prices will be justified later on must await developments in the economic world. The problem at hand is whether present levels can be held.

Certainly, the speculative pools that have been interested in putting up prices are not so unskilled as to be buying stocks at these levels, nor are they interested in holding their commitments for investment. The market has all the earmarks of a distribution market and has had them since the middle of January. In other words, it is probable that stocks acquired 20, 30 or 50 points lower are being passed out to the public under cover of a flurry in one issue or another, whereby the semblance of a bull market is being maintained.

The break in average prices would seem to indicate that the major portion of that work has been accomplished. The next step is to either put out short lines or await lower prices for re-accumulation. Likely, both are taking place, according to the respective temperament and judgment of the pool operators.

Current news usually fits in nicely with controlling sentiment in the market; just at present bearish reports predominating under leadership of declining orders in the steel industry. The Republic Iron & Steel Co. has just reported earnings for 1924 of 55 cents a share on the common stock, and The Baldwin Locomotive Works reports that it failed to cover preferred dividend requirements for the year. Rumors of other disappointing statements are heard from many quarters.

In the writers opinion, the peak of the bull market as manifested by average prices has been passed. The market, however, is not a perfect unit and prices do not move as a whole in the same direction or at the same time. While it seems probable that average prices will decline from their present level, there are several individual groups that have a bullish outlook—namely, the oils, coppers, and rails.

Oil production for the entire country has fallen sharply, being about 1,900,000 barrels daily at this time, a shrinkage of about 100,000 barrels from the high of 1924, and about 350,000 from that of 1923. The result is higher prices for crude and all its products, and, consequently, a substantial profit through appreciation for all those companies having large stocks in storage. Higher prices also mean larger profits on current production and manufacture.

Higher prices also appear to be in the making for copper metal. And this is taking place in the face of practically the greatest volume of production on record. Unless there is an unusual and unexpected setback to business, 1925 should be a banner year in that industry.

The railroads are faced with the greatest traffic year in their history, in the opinion of leaders in that field, and, in view of the tremendous amounts that have been expended for maintenance and additions and betterments during the last two years, operating expenses should be light enough to allow the best net income ever achieved. The effect of buying for control to expedite consolidations also is a bullish factor.

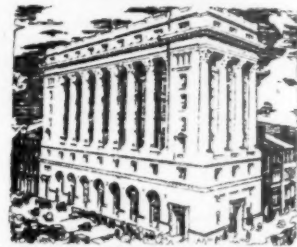
But the industrials, broadly speaking, seem to have spent their force.

START MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

THE Army and Navy Club of New York City is starting a membership campaign and has issued an appeal to all members to secure prospective applicants. The committee has prepared an interesting leaflet on the purposes and facilities of the Club, which has been sent out for distribution. Lt. Col. L. A. Sigaud, secretary, is conducting the project. The club is housed at 112 West 59th street, Central Park, South, and is considered an unofficial Service headquarters since practically all officers who visit New York go there to meet Service friends and enjoy its mess facilities.

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MILITARY LEGISLATION STATUS IS ANNOUNCED

COMMENCING February 25, and continuing until the end of the session, the House will work under the suspension of the rules by a two-thirds vote in passing bills. Some bills may go through under the consent rule, but a majority of them will be handled under the other rule.

Under these conditions, Chairman McKenzie of the House Committee on Military Affairs, has decided to take up only bills which have already passed the Senate. By this system it will be possible to pass part of the large number of bills which are pending before the House.

It is understood that the first bill to come up under this rule will be (S. 3818) for the authorization of construction of additional facilities at Walter Reed General Hospital. The understanding is that the Speaker will recognize Representative James of Michigan, who has this bill in charge, and its passage is practically assured, if it comes to a vote. It will be necessary to secure early action on this bill if an appropriation for the work is included in the urgent deficiency bill.

The bill (S. 3977), authorizing the Secretary of War to reappoint and immediately discharge or retire certain warrant officers of the Army Mine Planter Service, is also on the preferred list. On this list is also (S. J. Res. 124), a joint resolution to provide for the posthumous appointment to commissioned grades of certain enlisted men and a posthumous promotion of commissioned officers.

The Vestal bill, as a Senate bill (S. 2865), to define the status of retired officers of the Regular Army who have been detailed as instructors at educational institutions, is a measure which occupies a splendid place on the calendar. It is thought that there will be no serious objection to this bill and that it will pass the House before Congress adjourns.

The Hull bill has come over from the Senate as (S. 2294), and is in a position on the calendar where its supporters are confident that they will be able to force action. This is the bill to equalize the pay of retired officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Public Health Service. It is realized that this measure will encounter opposition, but its advocates are confident that they can command sufficient support to force it through the House.

The adoption of the Senate bills covering these subjects, without any amendments, will send them direct to the President, where they will become laws by his signature.

The bill (S. 33), making eligible for retirement physically disabled emergency officers of the Army and Navy, which was held up for some time in the Senate, is also on the calendar of the House, having been passed by a vote of 64 to 3. It, however, is not on the list that Chairman McKenzie plans to press for passage. The bill is in charge of Representative Fitzgerald of Ohio, and it is alleged the members of the World War Veterans' Committee of the House are planning to make trouble if it is not brought to vote. At the same time, the opposition is in a position to block its passage in the closing days of the session, which they will probably do, legislative observers assert.

FIGURES ON STRENGTH OF REGULAR ARMY COMPILED

STATISTICS compiled by the Adjutant General's Department show that between the first of February and June 30, 1925, 28,240 men will be separated from the active list of the Regular establishment, due to the expiration of their enlistment contracts. At the present time the strength of the Army is about 118,750, which is approximately the authorized figure.

During the fiscal year 1924 the enlistment contracts of about 77,000 men terminated, and it is estimated by the War Department that for the fiscal year 1925 the total number of expiring enlistments will total about 60,000. The re-enlistments of the whole Army total about 40 per cent. of those discharged.

Efforts are being made by the War Department to enlist as few recruits as possible, as it is pointed out by officers on duty in the department that a new recruit accepted at this time for enlistment in the Army would be of little value in the approaching summer training camps. On the other hand, if the War Department is fortunate in securing a large number of re-enlistments, it will not only save the Government money on recruiting, but the experienced men will prove invaluable as assistant instructors in the camps.

Following are the number of expiring enlistments, which will terminate between

February 1 and June 30, 1925: February, 4,867; March, 4,835; April, 5,738; May, 6,104, and June, 6,696.

STATEMENT INDICATES NO SEPARATE AIR SERVICE

(Continued from first page)

asserted that when Congress failed to appropriate \$44,000 for the transportation of helium from Fort Worth to Langley Field, Va., for the inflating of the acquired airship Roma, that it sold the lives of the dirigible victims at \$412 each. Comdr. Tinker was armed with a great mass of documents to support his article, and his testimony grew so hot that upon motion of Representative Prall of New York, Comdr. Tinker's testimony was expunged from the record of the hearings. The witness struck back at Gen. Mitchell by criticising the Army Air Service, which it is said displeased the separate air partisans on the committee. The entire proceedings of the committee on February 26, when Comdr. Tinker appeared, resembled the old mob-caucases, where the loudest talkers won, according to spectators.

LATE ARMY ORDERS

S. O. 47, W. D., February 25, 1925

Promotion of Chap. P. E. Rupp, U.S.A., from 1st Lt. to Capt., with rank from February 5, 1925, is announced.

1st Lt. R. S. McCullough, A.S., to San Francisco, Calif., and sail about May 14 for Hawaii for duty.

Capt. C. E. Giffin, A.S., to duty at Crissy Field, Calif., upon being relieved from treatment at Letterman General Hospital.

Col. H. C. Newcomer, C.E., relieved from further detail in connection with construction or repair of any aid to navigation in 3d and 9th Lighthouse districts.

Col. H. J. Brees, 11th Cav., detailed for duty as assistant commandant of Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., effective July 1.

1st Sergt. L. Robinson, 58th Serv. Squad, A.S., transferred in grade of private to D.E.M.L. Sergt. Robinson is detailed to duty with the Colorado, N.G., and to Denver, reporting to 1st Lt. F. N. Shumaker, A.S., (D.O.L.), for instructions in duties to which assigned, then to Pueblo, Colo., for station.

Sergt. C. M. Apperson, D.E.M.L., to duty with Minnesota, N.G., at Minneapolis, Minn. Staff Sergt. F. A. Mack, M.D., to Fort Benning, Ga., for duty.

Promotion of 2d Lt. A. G. Watson, A.S., to 1st Lt., with rank from February 1, is announced.

Transfer of 2d Lt. J. E. Poore, Jr., A.S., to Signal Corps February 18, with rank from June 12, 1924, is announced. Lt. Poore will proceed to Camp Alfred Vail, N. J., for duty.

2nd Lt. H. E. Smyser, Inf., is detailed in the A.S., effective March 10. He will proceed to Brooks Field, Tex., March 10, to Air Service Primary Flying School for duty and training.

The Transfer of Capt. E. L. Clewell, Inf., to Signal Corps on February 18, with rank from July 1, 1920, is announced.

2nd Lt. P. C. Parshley, 8th Engrs., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and to duty at 8th C.A. headquarters.

2nd Lt. L. C. Leonard, O.D., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty.

Maj. J. W. Sherwood, M.C., to station hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., for duty.

2nd Lts. W. J. Klepinger, F.A.; G. E. Burritt, F.A.; C. H. Studebaker, F.A.; H. C. Johnson, Inf., and R. G. Duff, F.A., to sail from New York city about March 28 for Hawaii.

Leaves—Two months, effective upon arrival at San Francisco from Philippines, to W. O. Anton Greenroos.

Following retirements announced at places indicated: Master Sergt. A. E. Watson, D.E.M.L., at Army Recruiting Station, Spokane, Wash.; 1st Sergt. W. H. Racks, 10th Cav., at Fort Huachuca, Ariz.; Staff Sergt. H. M. Reed, 14th C.A., at Fort Worden, Wash.

LATE NAVY ORDERS

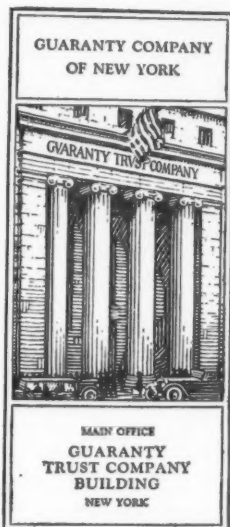
Orders to Officers, February 24, 1925

Comdrs. A. Claude, to Naval War College, Newport, R. I.; L. Noyes, to executive officer, U.S.S. Colorado; E. R. Shipp, to U.S.S. Kanawha; W. B. Woodson, to command Div. 34, Dest. Sqds., Battle Fleet; Lts. (j.g.) H. Coldwell, to U.S.S. Sirius; J. B. Edwards, to continue treat. Nav. Hosp., New York; J. C. Harris, to Rec. Ship, New York; D. L. Madeira, to U.S.S. Coghlan; E. C. Millhouse, to continue U.S.S. Lardner.

Ens. M. J. Strong, to continue duty U.S.S. La Vallette; Lts. F. S. Steele (M.C.), to U.S.S. Nevada; G. D. Thompson (M.C.), to Nav. Air Sta., Pearl Harbor, T. H.; Lt. Comdrs. J. A. Byrne (S.C.), to U.S.S. New York; M. C. Shirley (S.C.), to Nav. Air Sta., Lakehurst, N. J.; Lt. (j.g.) E. T. Steward (S.C.), to Nav. Air Sta., Lakehurst, N. J.; Bosn. H. M. Brun, to continue treat. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.; Ch. Gun. Frank Stinchcomb, discharge treat. Nav. Hosp., Norfolk, Va.; to temp duty Rec. Bks., Hampton Rds., Va.; Gunrs. G. G. Gibson, to U.S.S. Oklahoma; H. E. Kester, to rejoin U.S.S. Texas, on discharge from treatment, Nav. Hosp., Norfolk, Va.; J. Larsen, to observation and treat. Nav. Hosp., New York; Machs. J. M. Fitzsimmons, to U.S.S. Richmond P. L. Henneberg, to U.S.S. Altair; C. R. Owen, to U.S.S. Quail; Pay Clk. A. E. Salm, to Nav. Oper. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; A.P.C. D. B. DeLaughter, to duty U.S.S. Mississippi.

Note—Lt. Comdr. J. M. B. Smith, U.S.N., active, died February 18, 1925 at New York, N. Y.

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PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY

CALIFORNIA, February 5.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Boyle, who were married recently at Fresno, Calif., arrived here Thursday after a short honeymoon, spent in various parts of the State. Mrs. Boyle was formerly Miss Lucile Brunton, daughter of Mr. Delbert Brunton, principal of the Fresno High School, and Mrs. Brunton. The young couple were met by the officers and ladies of the garrison and driven around the post on a caisson, which was effectively adorned with old shoes, cooking utensils, etc. After the ride, tea was served at the Officers' Club. Mrs. Sloan Doak and Mrs. Charles Hazeltine acting as hostesses. Capt. and Mrs. Boyle were presented with a pair of silver candle sticks, with the coat of arms of the 76th Field Artillery, by the officers of that regiment.

One of the prettiest parties of the season was the bridge-ten given Wednesday by Mrs. Charles Hazeltine, wife of Maj. Hazeltine, U.S.A., and Mrs. James Adamson, wife of Capt. Adamson, U.S.A., at the quarters of the latter. Mrs. Sloan Doak and Mrs. Thomas Hurley poured tea, assisted by Mrs. Harry E. Pendleton, Mrs. George Stutsman and Mrs. Raymond Gibbs.

Another attractive party was given by Mrs. Lily Baxter and her daughter, Mrs. George Gillis. Mrs. Charles Hazeltine and Mrs. Charles Daly poured.

Mrs. Charles Stafford, wife of Lt. Stafford of the Quartermaster Corps, was hostess at a lovely valentine bridge-ten. Mrs. James Webb poured tea, assisted by Mmes. Siefert and Moore.

Capt. and Mrs. Francis Gustites recently entertained at a supper and bridge for Maj. and Mrs. James Laubach, Capt. and Mmes. Norman E. Waldron, Roland A. Isker and Lts. and Mmes. William Withers and James Holden Phillips.

Capt. and Mrs. George Caldwell, who were stationed here for several years before going to Sacramento last summer for station, will return here shortly and Capt. Caldwell will again be on duty with the Veterinary Corps.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Stafford were hosts recently at supper and mah jong for Capt. and Mrs. Fredrick Lafferty, Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Winston and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metz.

February 2 was declared a holiday for the 11th Cavalry, the occasion being the twenty-fourth anniversary of its organization. In the morning a parade and review was held preceded by the ceremony of "Escort to the Colors." At noon, holiday dinners were served. In the afternoon a baseball game was staged between the married and single officers, resulting in a victory for the latter. In the evening there was a free movie for the men, a dance at the amusement hall, and a smoker and bowling for those who did not care to dance.

Mrs. Harry Carpenter and son, Harry, Jr., mother and brother of Mrs. Rex Van D. Corpuz, have arrived here from Seattle, Wash., for an indefinite visit with Lt. and Mrs. Corpuz.

Maj. and Mrs. James Laubach were hosts at the bi-weekly meeting of the post Bridge Club Friday, eight tables playing.

Miss Dorris Koch of San Francisco has been a house guest of Capt. and Mrs. Harry E. Pendleton for several days this week.

Lt. Mark Devine has returned from a months' leave, spent at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

One of the largest and prettiest bridge-ten of the season was given Wednesday by Mrs. Charles Hazeltine and Mrs. James Adamson. There were eight tables of bridge with a score or more ladies coming in for tea. Mrs. Sloan Doak and Mrs. Thomas Hurley poured tea, being assisted by Mrs. Harry E. Pendleton, Mrs. Raymond Gibbs and Mrs. Stutsman.

FORT LEAVENWORTH

KANSAS, February 6.

Maj. and Mrs. Scott entertained at dinner last week. Their guests were Col. and Mrs. R. W. Walker, Maj. and Mmes. Herbert Taylor, Grimes, Dockrey, Koch, Chipman, H. J. M. Smith, John Bossey and Capt. and Mrs. Cooksey.

Maj. and Mrs. J. A. Rogers gave a delightful dinner Saturday. Their guests were Col. and Mrs. Myer and their house guest, Mrs. Russell. Col. and Mrs. Henry R. Richmond, Maj. and Mmes. Chaffin, Abends, Talbot, Arthur, Philbor, Parker, De Armond, Peyton and Wyche, Mrs. Thornhill, Miss Mackall and Mr. and Mrs. Fowler.

Mrs. Thornhill and Miss Mackall of Washington are house guests of Maj. and Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. Fulton entertained at bridge on Monday. Her guests included Maj. and Mmes. J. A. Rogers, Pendleton, Talbot, Chas. Thompson and James J. O'Hara.

Mrs. Devers entertained at two tables of bridge on Wednesday.

Mrs. Severson entertained the sewing circle on Wednesday.

Maj. and Mrs. Andrew D. Chaffin entertained at dinner preceding the hop on Friday in honor of Mrs. Russell.

Mrs. Corbusier entertained at a luncheon for her house guest, Mrs. Crooks. Other guests were Mmes. Fulsis, Mackall, Russell, Myer, Crittenger and Howard.

Miss Marjorie Thompson entertained informally on Friday. Her guests were Misses Nelson, Margaret and Polly Richmond, Brandt, Lear, Mitchell, Greer, Sutherland and Reybold, Messrs. Brandt, Singles, Stabe, Tinsinger, Lopez, Knox, Averd, Pierce, Truesdale, Gibner and Wells.

Miss Elizabeth Nelson entertained informally with a tea on Sunday. The guest of honor was Miss Norlene Jamison from St. Mary's Academy.

Mrs. Bull and daughter, Elizabeth, have just returned from an extended trip abroad.

The Misses Betty and Jean Sutherland gave a dance at Pope Hall last Friday. The guests numbered about sixty couples.

Col. Sawyer was the dinner guest of Col. and Mrs. Nelson on Friday.

Mr. George Fraley of Los Angeles, Calif., was the recent house guest of Col. and Mrs. Henry L. Richmond and Miss Ova Richmond.

Col. and Mrs. Richmond entertained at dinner on Friday evening. Their guests were Maj. and Mrs. John Barry, Maj. and Mrs. Wilbourne and Miss Richmond.

The Fort Leavenworth Music Club gave a delightful miscellaneous opera program on Tuesday afternoon. Among the selections was the duet "Every Flower," from "Madam Butterfly," sung by Mrs. Steese and Mrs. Stornash. Maj. Gance also sang three numbers. The program was arranged by Mrs. Hitchcock.

WILBUR WRIGHT FIELD

OHIO, January 21.

Maj. Benjamin G. Weir made a brief visit at this station, leaving on January 14.

Lt. Leon E. Sharon flew to Kokomo, Ind., delivering supplies to the Air Service unit of the Indiana National Guard. He returned to Wilbur Wright Field on the same afternoon.

Lt. Donald G. Duke arrived from Scott Field on an airways trip on January 17, remaining here over Sunday. He left for Bolling Field on January 19.

The first dinner-dance of the season will be given at the Officers' Club tonight. Unlike the dances which have immediately preceded it, this event will be only for the officers and ladies of the post, as it will be in the nature of a get-together party. Capt. F. F. Christine is the chairman of the entertainment committee.

Lt. Aubrey Hornsby left January 15 for Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., ferrying a De-Haviland plane to that station.

This station was greatly affected by an unusual accident which happened on January 7. Lt. E. H. Barksdale was flying the speed course, going at a low altitude in order to test the plane under the most approved conditions. While doing so, he crashed into a Government truck which was proceeding along the road that crosses the speed course, demolishing his plane and killing two civilian employees who were in the truck at the time. The two employees were Mr. Leon W. Harness and Mr. Paul Long, both of whom were very efficient and highly respected employees. Mr. Harness had been connected with the Air Service as a soldier and civilian for several years and had steadily risen to a position of responsibility in the Engineering Department. He was universally beloved by his associates and his loss, as well as that of Mr. Long, has been most keenly felt by the entire post, and by the neighboring communities of Osborn and Fairfield as well.

CANAL ZONE

COROZAL, January 24.

Col. and Mrs. Chamberlain entertained at dinner January 17 for Col. and Mmes. Pyles, Brooke and Morris.

Charles Hoard, the small son of Comdr. and Mrs. Hoard, celebrated his birthday with a luncheon at the Hotel Tivoli for little Misses Norman, Milne, Berry, Masters Hall, Milne, Mrs. Hoard.

Miss Mary Wells, daughter of Capt. Wells, U.S.N., gave a dance on board the U.S.S. Cleveland, January 18. She was assisted in receiving by Capt. and Mrs. Wells, and her guests were the officers of the ship, Misses Wright, Morris, Nancy and Lucy Jeffers, Irwin, Kathleen and Frances Dwyer, Peace, Lochlin, Sumner, Geary, Berry, Comdr. and Mrs. Mayo, Lt. Nolan, U.S.N., and Mrs. Nolan, Lt. Caffee, U.S.N. and Mrs. Caffee, Comdr. and Mrs. Hoard, Mr. and Mrs. John du Fais of New York; Mrs. Ruff, Lt. and Mrs. Stearns, Capt. Venable, Lts. Harrell, Heineke, Reers.

Mrs. Old entertained at a buffet luncheon January 18, in honor of the American attaché and Mrs. Howell. Her other guests were Capt. Irwin, U.S.N., and Mrs. Irwin, Col. and Mmes. Totten, Dwyer, Mmes. Jeffers, Reyburn, Capt. Hinds, U.S.N.; Comdr. and Mrs. Collins, Maj. and Mrs. Harrington and Mr. Burgher.

Gen. Lassiter entertained at a luncheon on January 18, in honor of Gen. Gatchell, U.S.A., retired, and Mrs. Gatchell. His other guests were Maj. and Mmes. Gardner, Kimball, Mrs. Haight, Miss Heath, Maj. Gatchell, Lt. Kelly.

Maj. and Mrs. Dyer were dinner hosts January 19, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Payette of Detroit, who are house guests of Capt. and Mrs. Wadden. The other guests were Capt. and Mrs. Wadden and Miss Brooke.

Capt. and Mrs. Eckels entertained at dinner January 20, for Maj. and Mmes. Lyons, Niles.

Mrs. Peace gave a tea January 20, and was assisted in serving by her daughter, Miss Mary Peace.

Col. and Mrs. Hall entertained at dinner January 20, having as their guests, Gen. Lassiter, Mrs. Walker, Col. and Mmes. Ennis, Mortimer.

Col. and Mrs. Woodruff entertained at a garden party supper January 21, for Mrs. Walker, the Acting Governor of the Panama Canal, Col. Burgess, Count and Countess Pagliano, Col. and Mmes. Geary, Morris, Chamberlain, Mortimer, Col. Miller, Maj. and Mmes. Elliott, Harrington, Butler, Mrs. Reyburn.

Col. and Mrs. Baker were bridge dinner hosts January 21, for Capt. and Mmes. Finan, Kemp, Schumacher, Eckels, Voss.

The Army Relief Society held a meeting at Mrs. Woodruff's quarters at which time it was decided that the Army Relief benefit of the Pacific Side of the Canal Zone should, this year, be a carnival, to which all the Pacific posts con-

tribute one definite thing, the carnival to be held February 18 at Ft. Amador.

Mr. and Mrs. Heald entertained at dinner January 23, for the Acting Governor of the Panama Canal, Col. Burgess, Mrs. Walker, Capt. Irwin, U.S.N., and Mrs. Irwin, Col. and Mmes. Woodruff, Peace, Hall.

The regular monthly hop at Corozal was held in the Officers' Club, January 23, with Capt. and Mrs. Lavin and Lt. and Mrs. Seybold in the receiving line.

Maj. and Mrs. Kimball entertained at a before-the-hop supper for Maj. and Mrs. Davison, Capt. and Mmes. Cherrington, Herrington, Misses Devers, Heath, Capt. Brown, Lt. Newman, Lt. and Mrs. Mack entertained at a buffet supper preceding the hop for Capt. and Mmes. Anthony, Winslow, Bentley, Johnson, Capt. Thomas, Lts. and Mmes. McLaughlin, Headley, Seybold, Black, Tatom, Stowell, Vail, Mrs. Mack, Sr., Miss Tatom.

Mrs. Heald entertained at bridge January 24, in honor of Mrs. Hoard and her guest, Miss Berry of New York. The other guests were Mmes. Haight, Morris, Lovell, Wells, Miss Endsley.

Dr. and Mrs. Knight were dinner hosts January 24 for Capt. Irwin, U.S.N., and Mrs. Irwin, Col. and Mmes. Totten, Johnson, Comdrs. and Mmes. Mayo, Davis, Maj. and Mmes. Tarpley, Gardner, Capt. and Mrs. Eckels, Col. Harris, Mmes. Old, Malsbury, Mr. Martin. They later attended the dance of the officers of the Peruvian Navy at the Union Club.

The regular monthly hop at Ft. Clayton was held January 23, at the Century Club, and was in the nature of a dinner-dance.

Mrs. Hillenkoetter entertained at a bridge-ten January 24, in honor of Miss Phyllis Irwin, the other guests being Misses Frances and Kathleen Dwyer, Wells, Wright, Martin, Montgomery, Peace, Geary, Jeffers, Mrs. Moore.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS

WASHINGTON, February 9.

Mrs. Joseph E. Kuhn was at home on the first Friday of the month. Dancing was enjoyed during the afternoon.

Mrs. Wiley Howell was hostess at a luncheon on Thursday, in honor of Mrs. Frank Strickland.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Lawson Little entertained at dinner for Maj. and Mrs. Alfred Sawkins, Maj. and Mrs. Robert Williams, Capt. and Mrs. Henry Edmonds and Capt. Barringer.

Mrs. Robert Poague was hostess Thursday at a tea, in honor of Mrs. McClintock of Kentucky, who is her house guest. Mrs. Tom Harris entertained Mrs. McClintock at a luncheon on Monday.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Lussier had Col. and Mrs. Little, Capt. and Mmes. Wear, Boyle and Lts. and Mmes. McAtee and Sebree as their guests at a bridge-supper on Saturday.

Capt. and Mrs. Guy W. Skinner celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary at a dinner and dance for seventy-five guests at the Service Club.

Mrs. Alfred Sawkins gave a farewell luncheon for Mrs. Walter Smith.

Lt. and Mrs. Edward McAtee entertained the members of the Monday Night Bridge Club recently.

Capt. and Mrs. Tom Harris entertained at a dinner party Thursday evening, and were hosts at a bridge party on Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Williams gave a farewell tea for Mrs. Walter Smith. She was assisted by Mmes. Little, Wear, Boyle, Sebree, McAtee, Wolf and Browder.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry Edmonds entertained at dinner in honor of Maj. and Mrs. Sawkins recently.

Mrs. Robert Shaw was hostess to the Tuesday Luncheon Bridge Club, entertaining Mmes. Little, Boyle, Wear, Sebree, Shaw, Lussier, Hazeltine, Clampt, Skinner, Norman, McAtee and Wolf.

Mrs. Frank Fulton was a recent bridge hostess at her apartment.

NAVAL ACADEMY

ANNAPOLIS, Md., February 19.

Comdr. and Mrs. Allan J. Chaney were hosts at a supper party last Friday, before the officers' dance, in honor of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Henry B. Wilson. Adm. and Mrs. Wilson, with the Chaney's other guests later attended the dance.

Mrs. Mull, wife of Lt. William P. Mull, will entertain at cards tomorrow afternoon at the Queen Anne's Cupboard, Maryland avenue. There will be nine tables of bridge.

Saturday night's hop at the Naval Academy was limited to the members of the two upper classes and their guests. It was held at Dahlgren Hall, dancing starting at the usual hour Saturday afternoon, and again that evening, the Masqueraders gave their annual production in Mahan Hall.

Mrs. Cook, wife of Capt. H. E. Cook, Commandant of Midshipmen at the Naval Academy, was at home Wednesday.

Two parties will be given this week in honor of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Mahlon Tisdale, who leave Annapolis, February 23. Tonight, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morton will entertain for them at Severn-on-Severn, their country estate, and on Friday evening, Mrs. Roscoe C. Bulmer will give a dinner-dance in their honor at The Little Inn on Maryland avenue.

Mrs. Herbert Underwood, wife of Lt. Comdr. Underwood, left recently for Palm Beach, Fla., where she will spend three weeks with Mrs. George Fuller of San Francisco.

NORFOLK NAVY YARD

VIRGINIA, January 27.

Among the guests at the midwinter german of the Norfolk German Club Friday at Ghent Club were Capt. and Mrs. Louis E. Fagin, Lt. Comdr. and Mmes. George W. Calver, Henry Le Bourgeois, Davis De Treville, Comdr. and Mrs. Norman Smith, Miss Dorothy Fagan of Germantown, Pa., Maj. and Mrs. Augustus Norton, Lts. P. C. Corning, U.S.N., and Newton, Farragut McCurdy, U.S.A., of Des Moines.

Mrs. R. G. Smith and two children are guests at Hotel Heart O' Ghent for the winter. Lt. Comdr. Smith is attached to the U.S.S. Jason. Mrs. F. K. Pugsley and two daughters, who have been making their home at Hotel Heart O' Ghent, have sailed for Honolulu to join Lt. Comdr. Pugsley, who is also attached to the Jason.

Mrs. Barton Myers, jr., will entertain this afternoon at a card party at her home, "Ingleside," for her sister, Mrs. William W. Gwathmey, jr., of Clarksburg, W. Va., and for Miss Janet Taylor. Her guests will number about twenty-five.

Lt. Comdr. E. H. H. Old, who has been the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Old, Algonquin Park, has left for New York.

Lt. Newton F. McCurdy, U.S.A., who has been the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. McCurdy, at their home, Diamond Springs, Princess Anne county, has left for Des Moines, where he is stationed.

The Thursday evening dinner dance at the Officers' Club, Naval Base, was largely attended, the guests being received by Mmes. Monroe Kelly, Davis De Treville and Oscar Smith.

Mrs. J. W. Sharp is the guest of Mrs. J. V. Polard, Armistead Bridge Court Apartment.

Mrs. Frederick A. Traut has returned to her home, Naval Base, from a two weeks' stay in Washington.

Miss Martha Baker Newkirk is the guest of Lt. and Mrs. A. L. Hutson of Dinwiddie street, Portsmouth.

Mrs. B. Anderson is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Meads, West Ghent Boulevard. Mrs. Anderson sailed for the West Coast on the U.S.S. destroyer Parrott. Mrs. Anderson will join him later.

Capt. and Mrs. Frederick Israel have returned to Hotel Heart O' Ghent after a visit to Washington.

Mrs. Frank C. Cook, who has been the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude M. Bain, for the Nottingham-Marr wedding, has returned to Annapolis.

Mrs. Jonathan W. Old, jr., entertained Saturday at a reception at the Norfolk Society of Arts, Monbray Arch. She was assisted in receiving by her sister, Mrs. A. J. Davis, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Francis P. Old, of Seattle, Wash. Punch was served by Mrs. Thomas H. Wilcox, jr., and Miss Katherine Waller. Mrs. O. L. Shackelford, assisted by Misses Rosalie Martin and Fannie Waller, served in the tea room.

Mrs. Albert Gleeves of Washington is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Van Meter, of the Marie Apartments, Portsmouth.

Miss Rebecca Polk, who has been the guest of Col. and Mrs. Henry C. Davis of the Marine Barracks, has returned to her home in Washington.

Miss Dorothy Fagan, who has been the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. Louis E. Fagan, at the Marine Barracks, has returned to Germantown, Pa.

Miss Lucy Allen, who has been the guest of her grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. John G. Quinby, has left to attend the Chatham Episcopal Institute, Chatham, Va.

Mrs. Hugh B. G. Galt has returned to her home on Westover avenue from Washington, where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. W. S. Hoge.

Mrs. Frederick Lejere is spending the winter at Hotel Heart O' Ghent during the absence of her husband, Lt. Lejere, with the Fleet in Southern waters. Mrs. T. J. Secor is also at Hotel Heart O' Ghent, where she will be joined by Capt. Secor, who is returning from duty at Guantanamo.

Lt. and Mrs. Louis H. Huebner have arrived from Annapolis and Lt. Huebner has joined the U.S.S. Patoka.

Lt. Comdr. R. B. Henry, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund S. Ruffin, Fairfax avenue, has sailed for Honolulu on the U.S.S. Wright.

Mrs. Francis L. Chadwick is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Francis H. Dewey, at her home, East Orange, N. J.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. P. P. Maclewski entertained at a dinner at their home, Naval Base, recently for Messrs. and Mmes. Abner Pose, Luther Upton, Capt. and Mrs. L. E. Fagan, Miss Alma Glennan and Messrs. B. Grey and Whitell Tunstall.

Among those making their homes at the Hotel Heart O' Ghent this winter are Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. B. G. Leighton and two children, Lt. Peyton Parks, who is on temporary duty at the Naval Base, and Mrs. Parks, Mrs. E. H. Quinlan and little daughter, Lt. Comdr. C. B. O'Leary and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. T. J. Nuke.

FORT McPHERSON

GEORGIA, February 6.

Mrs. Charles F. F. Cooper gave an elaborate bridge party at her home on January 30, which is the first of a series of these parties. This one was given for the new people who have recently come to live at Fort McPherson. The guests were Mmes. Dwight W. Ryther, W. H. Patterson, Howard Priest, David Barkley, Edgar P. Cooper, F. L. Thorpe, M. V. Portier, T. B. Hearn, Richard Cox, P. J. Green, Clyde Johnston, Glenn A. Ross, Boyd Capham, Boyd Inman, Otto G. Trunk, M. B. Rowell, E. T. Conley and P. J. Geary.

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COLORADO, February 12.

At a bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. G. H. Casaday, the guests included Mmes. J. B. Montgomery, R. Reynolds, E. B. Maynard, W. A. Rose, J. V. Fallis, W. C. Pollock, A. G. Compton, S. L. Van Valzah, H. E. Thearle, R. E. Thomas, J. B. Maynard, E. H. Bruns, C. A. Newcomb, R. E. Curran, B. S. McKenzie, G. W. Taylor and the Misses Dorothy Price, Mary Clawson, Genevieve Ganster, Irene Ofstad, Lillian Ryan, Virginia Hayes and Margaret Casaday.

Miss Ganster was honored at a bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. J. V. Fallis. The guests were Mmes. Van Knox, John Lambie, S. L. Van Valzah, E. B. Maynard, E. H. Bruns, R. Reynolds, C. A. Newcomb, W. A. Rose, L. E. Putnam, D. J. Hayes, J. B. Montgomery, R. G. Compton, G. W. Taylor, G. H. Casaday, R. S. McKenzie, Misses Casaday, Justice and Price.

Mrs. H. E. Thearle entertained at a bridge-luncheon for Mmes. E. H. Bruns, S. L. Van Valzah, W. C. Pollock, R. E. Thomas, J. V. Fallis, R. Reynolds, G. H. Casaday, A. G. Compton, E. B. Maynard, G. E. France, W. A. Rose, A. B. McKie, R. E. Curran, J. B. Montgomery, F. R. Ostrander, L. E. Putnam, C. A. Newcomb, H. A. Bishop, C. R. Pollock, H. R. Phillips, the Misses Price and Ganster.

Mrs. G. D. France gave a bridge-luncheon for Mmes. R. Reynolds, G. H. Casaday, E. B. Maynard, C. E. Sima, W. C. Pollock, A. G. Compton, G. W. Taylor, A. B. McKie, Miss Ganster, Miss Price, Miss Casaday, Mmes. E. H. Thearle, J. B. Montgomery, H. A. Bishop, S. L. Van Valzah, and Mrs. W. A. Rose.

Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Rose were dinner hosts before the monthly evening party of the Bridge Club for Capt. and Mrs. R. E. Eanes, Capt. and Mrs. O. T. Kirksey and Capt. and Mrs. R. S. McKenzie.

At a bridge-luncheon given by Mrs. R. Reynolds, the guests were Mmes. G. H. Casaday, J. B. Montgomery, J. V. Fallis, E. H. Bruns, E. B. Maynard, W. A. Rose, G. W. Taylor and Miss Price.

FORT HANCOCK

NEW JERSEY, February 19.

Lt. and Mrs. Ray H. Green entertained at a supper party recently, their guests being Col. E. B. Martindale, Jr., Miss Mary M. Martindale, Maj. and Mrs. Stuckey, Capt. and Mrs. Nelson, Capt. and Mrs. Boudreau, Chaplain Arnold, Lt. and Mrs. Wick and Miss Mary Lockward.

Mrs. Katherine Tennis also entertained recently, her guests including Capt. and Mrs. Poe, Capt. and Mrs. Thomas, Lt. and Mrs. Paddock, Lt. Palmer, Lt. Kidwell of Camp Alfred Vail, and Mrs. Wyche of Fort Wood, N. Y.

Everybody attended the post dance given at Brick House. The arrangements for the dance were in charge of Lt. Savini, assisted by his sister, Miss Gioconda Savini of New York.

BATTERY PARK

MARYLAND, February 17.

Major and Mrs. J. E. Bastion gave a dinner party last evening, in honor of Col. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfe, at the Hotel Hamilton in Washington. Lt. and Mrs. H. G. Montgomery, recently transferred to Washington from the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, moved into their new home on Goddard Road last week. Sunday evening, they entertained Capt. and Mrs. Dudley Howard, who are leaving in a few days for Brooks Field.

Mrs. Pariseau, wife of Capt. George Pariseau, and Mrs. James B. True entertained at an eight table bridge and mah jong party last Monday.

Major and Mrs. Robert Sears entertained at a supper party last Friday evening, after which they took their guests to the Army dance at the New Willard Hotel. Saturday evening they entertained at a supper and four-table bridge party.

The monthly meeting of the Battery Park Garden Club was held at the home of Comdr. and Mrs. C. K. Mallory on Fairfax Road. An interesting lecture was delivered by Prof. Landen of the Department of Agriculture on the Perennial Garden, preceded by a short talk on the proper preparation of the soil for such a garden.

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS

HAWAII, January 11.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Thomas H. Slavens were luncheon hosts January 5, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Moulton of Calif. Other guests were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Edward Lewis, Col. and Mrs. Alfred Aloe, Lt. Col. and Mrs. John B. Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Crocker of Calif.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. C. L. Ruggles of Washington arrived on the Chateau Thierry January 6. General Ruggles is here on an inspection tour.

Officers and ladies of the Hawaiian Division were hosts January 9 at a farewell dance for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles T. Menoher, who sailed on January 13 for San Francisco, where General Menoher will command the Ninth Corps Area.

Mrs. Wallace McNamara was a luncheon hostess January 10, honoring Mrs. Charles T. Menoher. Her guest included Mmes. Edward M. Lewis, Richmond P. Davis, Thomas H. Slavens, Irving J. Carr, Otho W. B. Farr, Alfred Aloe, John B. Murphy, James P. Barney and Sam P. Herren.

Maj. and Mrs. Harold R. Bull had as dinner guests January 4 Maj. and Mmes. Samuel A. Gibson, John H. Carruth, Leland H. Hobbs, Capt. and Mmes. Clarke Kittrell, J. C. Jones, George W. Pope, Thomas S. Sinkler, Lt. and Mmes. Claude B. Mickelwait, Charles W. Christenberry, Mrs. Harriet Butler and Capt. Paul V. Kellogg.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Thomas H. Slavens entertained at dinner on January 9 for Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Lewis. Their other guests were Maj. and Mrs. Leland S. Hobbs, Capt. and Mmes. Nell S. Edmonds, Ray M. O'Day, H. Crampton Jones, J. Huntington Hills, Alexander H. Cummings, Lt. and Mmes. Richard E. Moore, Guy M. Kinnan, Harry L. Coates, Edgar C. Curran, Leonard E. Smith, Edwin V. Kerr, Richard C. Singer, John S. Winn, Walter B. Cochran, Charles W. Christenberry, Miss Louise Clapp, Mrs. Harner Resides, Capt. Albert H. Dumas and Lt. Borense Resides.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles C. Knight entertained with a paper Chase on January 4. Those invited were Col. and Mrs. Andrew Moses, Maj. and Mrs. Edward C. Hanford, Capt. and Mmes. Edward H. Hart, Wesley J. White, Stacy Knopf, Roy Eyand, Ben. T. Sharpston, Jacob E. Behney, William E. Campbell, Lt. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Heyduck and Lt. Frank A. Henning.

FORT MONROE

VIRGINIA, February 11.

The ladies of the post have organized a Woman's Club for the purpose of holding monthly meetings and discussing current events. The first meeting was held at The Fort Monroe Club on January 29, the following officers being elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. R. E. Callan; vice-president, Mrs. E. Carpenter; treasurer, Mrs. H. F. Nichols; secretary, Mrs. E. H. Block; executive committee, Mmes. Crissy, Shedd, McKinney, Slifer, Crowell, Cramer, Williford, Welch, Peed, Bundy and Gregory.

Major and Mrs. G. V. Emerson were extensively entertained prior to their departure February 9, for Washington, D. C., where Maj. Emerson has been ordered for duty at Walter Reed General Hospital. Maj. and Mrs. R. V. Cramer entertained them at a bridge party on January 21. Preceding the fortnightly hop, January 23, they were honored at a dinner given by Maj. and Mrs. E. H. Metzger at The Magnolia Tree Inn. Other guests included Maj. and Mmes. W. E. Shedd and R. V. Cramer. Mrs. E. H. Block entertained at a beautifully appointed luncheon January 26 for Mrs. Emerson. The same evening Maj. and Mrs. Shedd gave a supper and bridge for Major and Mrs. Emerson. Their guests including Maj. and Mmes. DeValin, Donovan, Metzger, Cramer, Weismuer, Hering and Capt. and Mrs. Block. A few evenings later Major and Mrs. E. L. Hering honored them at a bridge-supper, the guests numbering twenty. They were also the honor guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McMenamin of Roseland Cottage, Phoebe, Va., at a supper party, February 1. Maj. and Mrs. Richard Donovan and Capt. and Mrs. Oliver Bond also entertained at bridge parties in their honor.

Several large bridge parties have been given in the last fortnight. On January 21, Mmes. Hall and Tallafiero gave a bridge-tea for fifty. Mmes. Thomas-Stahle, Paul French and Argo entertained over a hundred guests at a bridge-tea January 28. Mrs. C. F. McKinney was a luncheon hostess January 30, for sixteen guests. Mrs. R. E. Starr and Mrs. M. H. Zwicker gave a bridge-tea February 3, for Mrs. Larry Kerber of Dayton, Ohio, who is the house guest of Capt. and Mrs. Hause for the month of February. On February 4, Mrs. Forrest Williford and Mrs. James B. Haskell were joint hostesses at a bridge-tea of twelve tables. Mrs. R. E. Callan and Mrs. Edmund Easterbrook poured and the hostesses were assisted by Misses Marian Marsh, Margaret Haskell and Frederica Williford. Mrs. J. H. Cochran and Mrs. Franklin Kemble entertained at twelve tables of bridge on February 6, for Mrs. Cochran's house guest, Mrs. R. S. Cochran of The Plains, Virginia.

Major and Mrs. W. E. Shedd and son, Billy, left the post February 1, Maj. Shedd going to Pennsylvania on an inspection trip and Mrs. Shedd and son on a six weeks' trip to Key West, Fla., to visit Mrs. Shedd's father, Judge Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lowry of Forest Hills, L. I., were week-end guests of Major and Mrs. E. L. Hering. Lt. James M. Callicut, F.A., is visiting his brother, Lt. Edwin C. Callicut, for a few days.

at a dinner given by their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. C. E. Brand, at the Magnolia Tree Inn, January 23. The same evening, Maj. and Mrs. Kenneth T. Blood entertained at dinner for Brig. Gen. and Mrs. R. E. Callan, Col. and Mrs. Edw. Carpenter, Chaplain and Mrs. Easterbrook, Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. H. Sunderland and Lt. Col. F. J. Behr.

Maj. and Mrs. Forrest E. Williford were dinner hosts for ten guests on January 22.

Maj. and Mrs. R. R. Welshmer entertained at supper and bridge for the Sunday Night Bridge Club on January 25. Mrs. H. B. Holmes was hostess for the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club on February 3. Lt. and Mrs. R. C. Worthington were hosts at three tables of bridge on January 27, the guests including Maj. and Mmes. Shedd and Cramer, Capt. and Mmes. Hause, Bucher and Tallafiero.

Mrs. F. B. Waters and Mrs. H. H. Newman were in charge of the fortnightly dinner-dance on January 30, at the Fort Monroe Club. Covers were laid for one hundred and twenty. Those entertaining at separate tables included Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Nichols, Maj. and Mrs. C. T. Marsh, Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Ruddell, Capt. and Mrs. H. W. Cochran, and Lt. and Mrs. C. E. Brand and several no-host parties.

The Girl's Club of Fort Monroe entertained the Boy Scouts at a dance on February 7. The officers of the club are, president, Miss Lillian Sprague; vice-president, Miss S. Nelson; secretary, Miss Marian Marsh; treasurer, Miss Mildred Kelly and chaplain, Mrs. Joseph F. Stiley.

Maj. and Mrs. Joseph A. Green had as their dinner guests on February 4, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Geo. P. Peed, Maj. and Mmes. Emerson, Donovan and DeValin and Capt. and Mrs. Bundy.

Betty McCroskey, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Samuel L. McCroskey, celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary on January 26, with a party for twelve of her small friends.

Miss Mary Whaley, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Arthur M. Whaley of Washington, D. C., was the week-end guest of Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Ruddell. Miss Dorothy Bauman entertained at four tables of bridge on January 29 in her honor, and the same afternoon Mrs. Reamer W. Argo gave a tea for her.

Miss Julia Karr of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her nephew and niece, Capt. and Mrs. Donald L. Dutton. The baby daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Dutton was christened Julia Langley, February 3, by Chaplain Easterbrook. The christening was followed by a dinner for Chaplain and Mrs. Easterbrook, Maj. and Mrs. Bauman, Misses Dorothy and Charlotte Bauman and Miss Karr.

Maj. and Mrs. DeValin had as dinner guests February 6, Maj. and Mmes. Emerson, Metzger and Welshmer, Capt. and Mrs. Block and Mrs. Watson. The same evening Capt. and Mrs. Oliver Bucher entertained at dinner for Mrs. Kerber. The other guests included Lt. and Mrs. Zwicker, Lt. and Mrs. Worthington and Capt. Bomar.

Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Nichols were hosts at dinner for Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Callan, Col. and Mrs. E. Carpenter and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Geo. Peed.

A surprise party was given for Maj. Kenneth Blood on his birthday anniversary last Friday. Cards and supper followed.

FORT DOUGLAS

UTAH, February 1.

One of the most delightful hops ever given in the hop room was that of New Year's Eve, which was attended by a large number of civilians from town, as well as the people of the garrison. Through the early evening the guests were received by the ranking officers and their wives, who stood at the left of the entrance under a great flag hung from the ceiling. In the line were Col. and Mrs. Frederick L. Knudsen, Col. and Mrs. Peter Marquart, Col. and Mrs. J. C. Kay and Maj. and Mrs. W. H. Hobson. A delightful program of dance music was furnished by the regimental band. At midnight a delicious supper was served, and dancing continued to welcome the New Year. An interesting little scene was enacted when the old year fell dead at the stroke of twelve and the little New Year came dancing gayly in, bearing gifts for the company. Confetti in various colors and merry-making horns, etc., added much to the fun. Little Miss Genevieve Griffin, who is a gifted dancer, impersonated the New Year and Capt. Pillsbury was carried away as the "dead year." The affair was under the direction of Maj. W. H. Hobson, Capt. Roy L. Schuyler and Lt. W. B. Forse.

Maj. and Mrs. Samuel M. Parker recently entertained at a delightful dinner, celebrating the birthday anniversary of the host and of one of the guests as well. The guests were Judge and Mrs. William M. McCrea, Col. and Mrs. Peter Marquart, Col. and Mrs. J. C. Kay, Maj. and Mrs. W. H. Hobson, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace.

Col. and Mrs. F. L. Knudsen kept open house on New Year's Day. Mrs. W. H. Hobson, Mrs. Allan S. Boyd, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman and Mrs. J. C. Kay took turns at the tea table, while Mrs. Maurice Rose, Mrs. R. C. Vicker, Mrs. James F. Butler, Mrs. A. R. Nichols, Miss Dorothy Tyng, Miss Catherine Knudsen and Miss Mary Hobson assisted. About 80 friends called during the hours from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Following the christening of their daughter, Jeanne Anne, at the Cathedral of the Madeleine on January 18, Lt. and Mrs. T. J. McDonald entertained at a buffet supper at their quarters. Mrs. Robert H. Soule is godmother to the little one, who is just five weeks old, and Lt. J. W. Boone is the godfather. The grandmother of the baby Mrs. John Yore of Chicago, who has been a guest at the McDonald home for some time, assisted in receiving the guests, and Miss Catherine Knudsen, Miss Dorothy Tyng and Miss Mary Hobson assisted in serving. About 50 friends were entertained.

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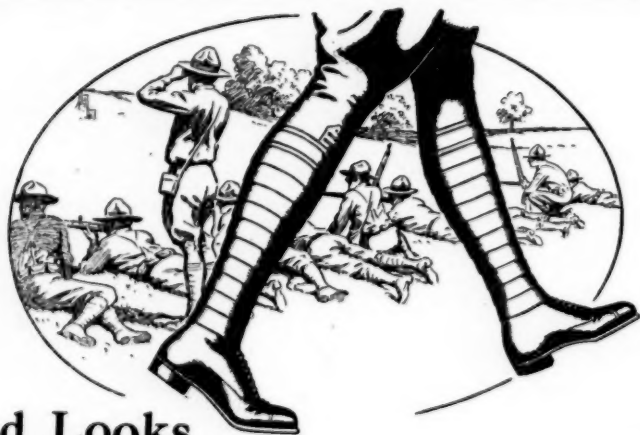
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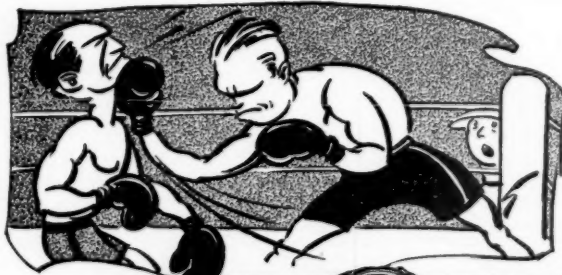
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